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Salt Lake City Genealogical Tour 23-30 October 1994

In view of the full booking for the Genealogical Tour to Salt Lake City in 1993, it is none too early to mark your calendar for 1994. We are able to offer the same week this year, 23-30 Oct., which is a particularly good time to visit SLC. The weather is still good and the Library is not as crowded as in the summer or early fall. Space is limited and it is a good idea to get your name on the list early. Applications will be honored on a first come, first served basis. Details on cost and program are contained in an announcement accompanying this issue. For further information write *SAG* at the above address or call (407) 647 4292.

Swedes in the 1880 Census of Dickinson County, Kansas

Thomas Branigar*

Swedes formed one of the earliest ethnic groups in Dickinson County, KS. The first immigrants arrived in the late 1850s, shortly after the territory was opened to settlement and settled south of the Smoky Hill River in what is today Center Township. By the time of the 1880 census the Center Township group had grown to several dozen families and had overflowed into Logan and Liberty Townships. A much smaller group of Swedes had settled in Fragrant Hill Township in the 1870s, and a few isolated Swedish families were scattered around the rest of the county.

Extensive information is available on the Swedes of Center Township. Two churches were established by the immigrants - the Bethlehem Lutheran Church, based upon the state religion of Sweden and the Swedish Mission Church, later known as the Pleasant Hill Church, which was independent. Both churches were discontinued many years ago but their adjacent cemeteries are still in use and most of the Swedish families are buried there. The records of the Pleasant Hill Church, which had the largest membership, have not been located but a copy of the cemetery records, made in 1968, is at the Dickinson County Historical Society in Abilene, KS. The Bethlehem Lutheran Church records are on microfilm and are housed at the Swenson Swedish Immigration Research Center in Rock Island, IL. Fragmentary records of the Lutheran Cemetery are also at the county historical society in Abilene.

The Swedish community in Center Township also produced a noted historian, Mrs. Ellen Peterson (1889-1983), whose parents had emigrated in 1887. Mrs. Peterson spent all of her life in Center Township and was acquainted with all of the pioneer Swedish families. For over forty years she was the local correspondent representing the Swedish community for *The Enterprise Journal*. During 1937 and 1938 she wrote a series of articles for the newspaper on the history

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of the Swedish homes and families of Center Township. Issues of the newspaper covering her years as correspondent are at the Kansas State Historical Society in Topeka, KS. Copies of the 1937-1938 articles are also at the county historical society in Abilene.

Based on these records, plus the Swedish parish records to be found on microfilm at the Family History Library in Salt Lake City, UT, the origins of most of the Swedes in Center Township have been identified. These fall into four major groups. The largest was from Järbo Parish (Gävl.). Others were from Hällestad and Risinge parishes in Östergötland *län*; Nävelsjö and Norra Sandsjö parishes in Jönköping *län* as well as the southern part of the island of Gotland.

In contrast to the Center Township group, very little information is available on the Swedes in other parts of Dickinson County. Burial sites for several families have been found in some of the rural cemeteries. For example - many of the Fragrant Hill Township Swedes were buried in Liberty Cemetery in Fragrant Hill Township. However, the Fragrant Hill area was poorly covered by the county newspapers so there are few obituaries and no church records from which to work. Origins of a few Fragrant Hill Township families have been determined through their connection with the Center Township Swedes. The Sandborn-Sanborn families of Hayes and Noble Townships have also been traced because of their prominence in the Chapman area, which has made it possible to trace their origins as recorded by the Chapman newspapers. More research on the remaining families is needed to determine whether there exist any other major groupings by parish of origin.

The 1880 Federal census provides us with a wealth of information concerning the people who were living in the U.S. in that year. Some names are garbled, which is quite typical when a census enumerator attempted to glean information from a population, very little grounded in the English language. Many of those interviewed had only been in the U.S. a few months. Having access to ancillary information, such as newspaper accounts, parish record, and cemetery information, has made it possible to identify the vast majority of the Swedes residing in Dickinson County in 1880. The column headings are as follows:

1. Page number
2. House and family number
3. Name
4. Age
5. Sex
6. Occupation, relationship, and other comments

7. Birthplace
8. Birthplace of father
9. Birthplace of mother

Abbreviations

BLC = Bethlehem Lutheran Cemetery, Center Township. Refers to the fragmentary records on deposit in the Dickinson County Historical Society Archives as well as tombstones inventoried by the author.

BLR = Parish records of the Bethlehem Lutheran Church of Center Township microfilmed and on deposit at the Swenson Swedish Immigration Research Center, Augustana College, Rock Island, IL.

EP = Articles by Ellen Peterson on various Swedish families of Center Township published in *The Enterprise Journal* during the years 1937 and 1938. The original newspapers are on deposit at the Kansas State Historical Society in Topeka, KS. Copies of the articles are on deposit at the Dickinson County Historical Society Archives.

KK = Articles by the author on various Swedish families of Dickinson County and published in *Kansas Kin*, the journal of the Riley County, KS Genealogical Society.

PHC = Pleasant Hill Cemetery, Center Township. Copies of burial records are on deposit at the Dickinson County Historical Society. Tombstones inventoried by the author.

EJ = *The Enterprise Journal*.

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A note on the Järbo Parish records. Many of the Swedes in Center Township came from Järbo Parish (Gävl.) This article follows the U.S. sources in giving Järbo as the birthplace of these immigrants. However, Järbo Parish was actually created as late as 1860 from the northeastern third of Ovansjö Parish. Genealogists searching for information on the Järbo families in Swedish records should therefore remember that events prior to 1861 will be recorded in the Ovansjö Parish records.

Lincoln Township, City of Solomon

323A	99/111	Peterson, Lawrence	30	M	Laborer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Gertie	28	F	Wife	Ger.	Ger.	Ger.
		Louh H.	4	M	Son	Ill.	Sweden	Sweden
		Clemens	1	M	Son	Kan.	"	"

Logan Township

358D	26/28	Alstrom, Gus ¹	36	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Hannah ²	36	F	Wife	"	"	"
		Charles	10	M	Son	Kan.	"	"

27/29	Lane, August ³	Lane, August ³	36	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Anna	36	F	Wife	"	"	"
		Aaron	12	M	Son	"	"	"
		Ephram	11	M	Son	"	"	"
		Oscar	7	M	Son	"	"	"
		John	4	M	Son	Kan.	"	"

28/30	Anderson, A. ⁴	Anderson, A. ⁴	46	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Martha	40	F	Wife	"	"	"
		Margaret	19	F	Dau.	"	"	"
		John	14	M	Son	Iowa	"	"
		Peter	13	M	Son	"	"	"
		Andrew	10	M	Son	"	"	"
		Anna	7	F	Dau.	"	"	"
		Nellie	3	F	Dau.	"	"	"
		Albert	7/12	M	Son	Kan.	"	"

359A	34/36	Anderson, Larry	30	M	Farm laborer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
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Newbern Township

364D	129/131	Burke, John ⁵	34	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Mary	29	F	Wife	"	"	"
		Carrie	8	F	Dau.	Ill.	"	"
		Albert	6	M	Son	Kan.	"	"
		John	1	M	Son	"	"	"

Grant Township

372C	44/44	Nordin, Frank W.	44	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Amanda	28	F	Wife	"	"	"
		Oscar	5	M	Son	"	"	"
		Charles W.	3	M	Son	Kan.	"	"
		Frank	2/12	M	Son	"	"	"

Grant Township, City of Abilene

378C	43/43	Swann, Gus ⁶	25	M	Cook in hotel	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Sarah	25	F	Wife	Ohio	Ire.	Ire.

398C	163/163	Goldsmith, Max	23	M	Cloth merchant	Ohio	Hanover	Stockholm
		Dora	19	F	Wife	"	Prussia	Prussia

Cheever Township

404B	13/14	Peters, Charles	29	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Abbie	21	F	Wife	Iowa	Penn.	Penn.
		Clara	1	F	Dau.	"	Iowa	S[Sweden]

9	405C	3/3	Bram, John ⁷	30	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
			Mary	30	F	Wife	Ohio	Penn.	Ohio
			Carrie J.	4	F	Dau.	Iowa	Sweden	"
			John O.	2	M	Son	Kan.	"	"
Buckeye Township									
	408A	3/3	Carlson, August	24	M	Laborer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
Hayes Township									
	414B	16/18	Sanbern, Abraham ⁸	66	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
Ingry			51	F	Wife	"	"	"	
H.A.			27	M	Son	Ill.	"	"	
Harry A.			20	M	Son	"	"	"	
Annie			16	F	Dau.	"	"	"	
Anderson, John			30	M	Laborer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden	
	17/19		Anderson, A.B.	45	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
C.M.			30	F	Wife	"	"	"	
N.E.			9	F	Dau.	Ill.	"	"	
H.L.			5	F	Dau.	"	"	"	
Othia			5/12	F	Dau.	Kan.	"	"	
	418A	72/75	Goodwin, John ⁹	35	M	Farmer	Eng.	Eng.	Eng.
Emily M.			24	F	Wife	Ill.	Sweden	Sweden	
Anna			1	F	Dau.	Kan.	Eng.	Ill.	

Sherman Township

422A	45/45	Johnson, Peter	20	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
423C	67/68	Bram, John ¹⁰	30	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Mary	28	F	Wife	"	"	"
		Carry	2	F	Dau.	Iowa	"	"

Center Township

427C	57/63	Peterson, Charles W. ¹¹	35	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Elisabeth	35	F	Wife	"	"	"
		Harry C.P.	7	M	Son	Kan.	"	"
		Jeany C.E.	4	F	Dau.	"	"	"
		Classon, Jacob ¹²	38	M	Bro-in-law	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
	61/68	Hanson, Charles ¹³	35	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Matilda A.	27	F	Wife	"	"	"
		Oscar William	4	M	Son	Kan.	"	"
		Peterson, Nicholas	32	M	Works on farm	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
	62/69	Pearson, Martin ¹⁴	48	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Maria	47	F	Wife	"	"	"
		Wilhelmina	18	F	Dau.	"	"	"
		Melinda	7	F	Dau.	"	"	"
427D	62/70	Sedergreen, John ¹⁵	31	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Mary	22	F	Wife	"	"	"
		George	1/12	M	Son, b. May 1880	Kan.	"	"
		Anderson, Olof	25	M	Works on farm	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden

428A	72/80	Erickson, Erick ¹⁶	51	M	Lives on farm	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Karin	50	F	Wife	"	"	"
		Erick, Jr.	20	M	Son	"	"	"
		Jacob	14	M	Son	"	"	"
		Peter D.	11	M	Son	"	"	"
		Mary	8	F	Dau.	"	"	"
73/81		Broman, Frank M. ¹⁷	39	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Charlotte	37	F	Wife	"	"	"
		Winried M.	10	F	Dau.	"	"	"
		Alfriede	2	F	Dau.	"	"	"
74/82		Erickson, Olof ¹⁸	54	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Brita	53	F	Wife	"	"	"
75/83		Jacobson, Elisabeth ¹⁹	45	F	Widowed	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Jacob	20	M	Son, farmer	"	"	"
		David	14	M	Son	Iowa	"	"
		Sophia E.	12	F	Dau.	"	"	"
		Alfred H.	11	M	Son	"	"	"
		Jennie C.	9	F	Dau.	Kan.	"	"
76/84		Dalstrom, Olof E. ²⁰	35	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Betse	45	F	Wife	"	"	"
		Henry Erick	10	M	Son	Kan.	"	"
		Anna Mary	8	F	Dau.	"	"	"
		Olive Betse	6	F	Dau.	"	"	"

77/85	Ostrom, Jacob ²¹	57	M	Farmer, widowed	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
	John	30	M	Son	"	"	"
	Peter	25	M	Son	"	"	"
	Jacob, Jr.	19	M	Son	"	"	"
78/86	Blom, Henry (Rev.) ²²	43	M	Farmer & minister	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
	Betse	40	F	Wife	"	"	"
	Erick Olof	17	M	Son	"	"	"
	Jacob J.	15	M	Son	"	"	"
	David	12	M	Son	Iowa	"	"
	Henry	8	M	Son	Kan.	"	"
	Paul P.	1	M	Son	"	"	"
79/87	Calene, Erick ²³	35	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
	Bertha	24	F	Wife	"	"	"
	Alice	2	F	Dau.	Kan.	"	"
	Cellberg, Erick	25	M	Laborer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
81/89	Pearson, Peter ²⁴	41	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
	Anna	32	F	Wife	"	"	"
	Peter C.	4	M	Son	Kan.	"	"
	Louis E.	1	M	Son	"	"	"
4228B 82/90	Calene, Olof ²⁵	51	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
	Martha	53	F	Wife	"	"	"
	Bergstrom, Olof	21	M	Works on farm	"	"	"

83/91	Hedlund, Olof	45	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
	Anna	45	F	Wife	"	"	"
	Louis	17	M	Son	"	"	"
	Anna	15	F	Dau.	"	"	"
	Catherine M.	11	F	Dau.	Iowa	"	"
	Peter	9	M	Son	"	"	"
	Otto Albert	5	M	Son	"	"	"
84/92	Axel Immanuel	1	M	Son	"	"	"
	Ostberg, Andrew ²⁶	39	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
	Lena	38	F	Wife	"	"	"
	Peter	10	M	Son	Iowa	"	"
	John Alfred	7	M	Son	"	"	"
	Ulick	5	M	Son	Kan.	"	"
	Anna	1	F	Dau.	"	"	"
85/93	Peterson Nostrom, Louis ²⁷	45	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
	Christine I.	40	F	Wife	"	"	"
	John Peter	6	M	Son	Kan.	"	"
	Louis Olof	4	M	Son	"	"	"
	Albert	1	M	Son	"	"	"
88/96	Lindoll Swenson, August ²⁸	41	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
	Mary	42	F	Wife	"	"	"
	John A.	13	M	Son	"	"	"
	Carl G.E.	11	M	Son	"	"	"
	Peter William	6	M	SON	Kan.	"	"
	Anna Louise	5	F	Dau.	"	"	"

		Adel Gottfried	3	M	Son	Kan.	Sweden	Sweden
		Hulda Sophie	8/12	F	Dau., b. Oct. 1879	"	"	"
		Swenson, John P. ²⁹	44	M	Bro., stone mason	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
89/97		Kirchner, John W.	37	M	Farmer	Bavaria	Bavaria	Bavaria
		Catherine ³⁰	40	F	Wife	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		John Albert	3	M	Son	Kan.	"	"
90/98		Linguist, Christine C. ³¹	65	F	Widowed	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
429C	90/99	Backstrom, Charles Fr. ³²	37	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Christine B.	26	F	Wife	"	"	"
		Jennie Cath.	4	F	Dau.	"	"	"
		John Peter	2	M	Son	"	"	"
		Carl Albert	7/12	M	Son, b. Nov. 1879	Kan.	"	"
		Christine Albertina	7/12	F	Dau. b. Nov. 1879	"	"	"
		Peterson, John ³³	24	M	Bro-in-law	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
93/102		Jaderbourg Olson, Louis ³⁴	51	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Matilda	30	F	Wife	"	"	"
		Julia Martha	4	F	Dau.	Kan.	"	"
		Olof Thure	3	M	Son	"	"	"
95/104		Peterson, John ³⁵	39	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Louisa Chr.	36	F	Wife	"	"	"
		Christine Elisabeth	10	F	Dau.	Kan.	"	"
		Daniel Alfred	8	M	Son	"	"	"
		Gustav Adolph	2	M	Son	"	"	"

		Sandquist, Peter ³⁶	70	M	Father-in-law, widowed	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
429D	99/1108	Danielson, Gustaf ³⁷	33	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Mary	46	F	Wife	"	"	"
		Anderson, Andrew	18	M	Step-son	"	"	"
	101/110	Peterson, Elof L. ³⁸	38	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Josephine C.	33	F	Wife	"	"	"
		Lindwell, William ³⁹	7	M	Stays in family	Kan.	"	"
		Peterson, Olof	68	M	Father, widowed	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
	102/111	Forslund, Olof ⁴⁰	36	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Anna	29	F	Wife	"	"	"
		Christine C.	13	F	Dau.	"	"	"
		Anna	10	F	Dau.	Ill.	"	"
		John Erick	6	M	Son	Kan.	"	"
		Emil Olof	4	M	Son	"	"	"
		Seth Theodore	1	M	Son	"	"	"
	103/112	Jackson Caleen, Peter ⁴¹	43	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Anna	43	F	Wife	"	"	"
		Jacob E.	17	M	Son	"	"	"
		Betze C.	15	F	Dau.	"	"	"
		Thomas I.	1	M	Son	Kan.	"	"
		Anderson, Andreas ⁴²	46	M	Servant, married	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Erickson, Peter ⁴³	22	M	Laborer	"	"	"
		Olson, Olof	24	M	"	"	"	"

	Jader, Hans ⁴⁴	30	M	Laborer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
	104/113 Erickson, John ⁴⁵	55	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
	Catherine	50	F	Wife	"	"	"
	Olof J.	21	M	Son	"	"	"
	Lina	14	F	Dau.	"	"	"
	Henry	12	M	Son	"	"	"
	Christine	9	F	Dau.	Ill.	"	"
	Tilda L.	6	F	Dau.	Kan.	"	"
	105/114 Engstrom, Erick A. ⁴⁶	46	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
	Anna S.	43	F	Wife	"	"	"
	August Alf.	18	M	Son	"	"	"
	Alma Sophia	13	F	Dau.	"	"	"
	Augusta J.	9	F	Dau.	Kan.	"	"
	Anna S.	6	F	Dau.	"	"	"
	Amanda A.	2	F	Dau.	"	"	"
430A	106/115 Anderson, John ⁴⁷	40	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
	Caroline	40	F	Wife	"	"	"
	Charles John	14	M	Son	"	"	"
	Ellen M.	12	F	Dau.	"	"	"
	Gustav O.	10	M	Son	"	"	"
	Erick August	8	M	Son	"	"	"
	Wandle C.	5	F	Dau.	"	"	"
	Andrew R.R.	3	M	Son	"	"	"
	Frank Emil	1/12	M	Son, b. May 1880	Kan.	"	"

14	107/116 Lind, Hans ⁴⁸	26	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
	Betze	23	F	Wife	"	"	"
	Andrew	4	M	Son	"	"	"
	Ida	2	F	Dau.	Kan.	"	"
	Betze	3/12	F	Dau.	"	"	"
	Calene, Louis L. ⁴⁹	28	M	Boarder	Sweden	"	"
	108/117 Calene, Louis E. ⁵⁰	57	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
	Christine	63	F	Wife	"	"	"
	Anna	33	F	Dau.	"	"	"
	Peter L.	31	M	Son	"	"	"
	109/118 Hed, Isaac ⁵¹	58	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
	Martha	59	F	Wife	"	"	"
	Jonas	26	M	Son	"	"	"
	110/119 Person, John ⁵²	54	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
	Christine C.	51	F	Wife	"	"	"
	Charles John	23	M	Son	"	"	"
	Adolph Fr.	20	M	Son	"	"	"
	Haddy S.	4	F	Dau.	Kan.	"	"
	111/120 Nordquist, Hans, Sr. ⁵³	51	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
	Christine	50	F	Wife	"	"	"
	Hans, Jr.	20	M	Son	"	"	"
	Mary	14	F	Dau.	"	"	"
	Gustaf Adolph	2	M	Son	Wisc.	"	"

	112/121	Hanson, Lars ⁵⁴	42	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Maria	41	F	Wife	"	"	"
		Dina	16	F	Dau.	"	"	"
		Charles	12	M	Son	"	"	"
		William O.	8	M	Son	Kan.	"	"
		Wilhelmine	5	F	Dau.	"	"	"
		Bjoerkander, Nicholas ⁵⁵	28	M	Boarder	Sweden	"	"
		Bolene, Emma ⁵⁶	22	F	"	"	"	"
	113/122	Calene, Peter Erick ⁵⁷	49	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Catherine	37	F	Wife	"	"	"
		Anna L.	9	F	Dau.	Kan.	"	"
		Nellie F.	5	F	Dau.	"	"	"
		Effie	2	F	Dau.	"	"	"
		Erickson, John J. ⁵⁸	25	M	Servant	Sweden	"	"
		Peterson, Joh. A. ⁵⁹	22	M	Bro-in-law	"	"	"
430B	114/123	Forsberg, Andrew G. ⁶⁰	29	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Catherine	27	F	Wife	"	"	"
		Edwin Franklin	6/12	M	Son, b. Dec. 1879	Kan.	"	"
	115/124	Norell, Olof ⁶¹	39	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Anna	29	F	Wife	"	"	"
		Oscar A.	8	M	Son	Iowa	"	"
		Minnie Amanda	5/12	F	Dau.	Kan.	"	"
	118/128	Ranstrom, John G. ⁶²	42	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Bertha L.	41	F	Wife	"	"	"

	John	13	M	Son	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
	William	5	M	Son	Kan.	"	"
	Hilda M.	2/12	F	Dau.	"	"	"
119/129	Nelson, Samuel ⁶³	37	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
	Hannah	39	F	Wife	"	"	"
	Hulda	5	F	Dau.	Kan.	"	"
120/130	Sandquist, Alfred ⁶⁴	33	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
	Emma ⁴⁰	F	Wife		"	"	"
	Alfred Theo.	6	M	Son	Kan.	"	"
	Axel Victor	1	M	Son	"	"	"
	Calene, Johanna ⁶⁵	72	F	Mother-in-law, widowed	Sweden	"	"
122/132	Backstrom, Peter ⁶⁶	39	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
	Emma Ottilia	33	F	Wife	"	"	"
	Hulda Theresia	11	F	Dau.	Kan.	"	"
	Anna Josephine	8	F	Dau.	"	"	"
	Oscar William	5	M	Son	Texas	"	"
	Edward Selma	3	M	Son	Kan.	"	"
123/133	Broman, Johanna ⁶⁷	33	F	Married	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
	Susanna	10	F	Dau.	Kan.	"	"
	Magdalene	8	M	Son	"	"	"
	John Edward	7	M	Son	"	"	"
	Hilma	2	F	Dau.	"	"	"
	Nistrom, Olof ⁶⁸	42	M	Boarder	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden

Center Township, City of Enterprise							
433D	173/185 Logback, Andrew J. ⁶⁹	31	M	Druggist	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
	Mattie	28	F	Wife	"	"	"
	Emil A.	5	M	Son	Kan.	"	"
	Lillie D.	3	F	Dau.	"	"	"
	August	19	M	Brother	Sweden	"	"
	Peterson, Erick	51	M	Carpenter	"	"	"
	174/186 Logback, Peter ⁷⁰	57	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
	Sarah M.	59	F	Wife	"	"	"
	177/189 Hanson, Adelia ⁷¹	17	F	Works in hospital	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
	Rodell, Frank O.	21	M	Fire insurance agent Ill.	"	"	"
	Calene, John ⁷²	22	M	Clerk in store	Sweden	"	"
434A	180/193 Olson, Andres P. ⁷³	40	M	Shoemaker	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
	Carolina	41	F	Wife	"	"	"
	August Paer	18	M	Son	"	"	"
	Ida Elisabeth	16	F	Dau.	"	"	"
	Andres W.	13	M	Son	"	"	"
	Emilia Adolph	11	F	Dau.	"	"	"
	Lydia M.A.	8	F	Dau.	"	"	"
	Eva M.	6	F	Dau.	Kan.	"	"
	Albertine	2	F	Dau.	"	"	"
434B	189/202 Nelson, August ⁷⁴	33	M	Stone mason	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
	Adolphina A.	25	F	Wife, m. during year	"	"	"
	Anna Mary	7	F	Dau.	"	"	"

199/213 Linde, Erick⁷⁵ 35 M Shoemaker Sweden Sweden Sweden

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436B	18/18	Johnson, Magnus ⁷⁶	39	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Caroline	34	F	Wife	"	"	"
		Anna	8	F	Dau.	Kan.	"	"
		Amel	6	M	Son	"	"	"
		Ellen	4	F	Dau.	"	"	"
		Charles U.	2	M	Son	"	"	"
		Gustave	3/12	M	Son, b. March 1880	"	"	"
		Bengt	16	M	Brother	"	"	"
437C	19/19	Sailsbury, Peter F ⁷⁷	34	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Bessie	33	F	Wife	"	"	"
		Nilson, Nils	26	M	Bro-in-law	"	"	"
	20/20	Johnson, Oscar ⁷⁸	33	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Sigrid	37	F	Wife	"	"	"
		Elizabeth	1	F	Dau.	Kan.	"	"
	21/21	Dahlstrom, Philip F. ⁷⁹	37	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Charlotte	32	F	Wife	"	"	"
		Eleanor	6	F	Dau.	Kan.	"	"
		Carl P.	5	M	Son	"	"	"
		Gustave	3	M	Son	"	"	"
		Robert	9/12	M	Son, b. Sept. 1879	"	"	"
		Stafva ⁸⁰	72	F	Mother, widowed	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Matilda	40	F	Sister	"	"	"

		Hagberg, Carl ⁸¹	27	M	Servant, married	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
28/28		Nilsson, Gust ⁸²	44	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Matilda	33	F	Wife	"	"	"
		Mary	6	F	Dau.	Kan.	"	"
		Alfred	4	M	Son	"	"	"
		Johnson, Olof ⁸³	68	M	Father-in-law	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Annie L.	67	F	Mother-in-law	"	"	"
437D	32/32	Olander, Peter ⁸⁴	40	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Bertha	38	F	Wife	"	"	"
		Charles J.	15	M	Son	Kan.	"	"
		Anna	8	F	Dau.	"	"	"
		Ellen	3	F	Dau.	"	"	"
		Olivia	10/12	F	Dau.	"	"	"
		Hagberg, Brita ⁸⁵	60	F	Mother-in-law, married	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
35/35		Flodine, John	29	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Peter ⁸⁶	67	M	Father	"	"	"
		Caroline	63	F	Mother	"	"	"
		Peter	34	M	Brother	"	"	"
		Emma	17	F	Sister	"	"	"
440B	86/87	Anderson, John	23	M	Servant	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
441C	91/92	Johnson, Oscar	35	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Christiana	34	F	Wife	"	"	"

Albertina	1	F	Dau.	Kan.	Sweden	Sweden
Otto	30	M	Brother	Sweden	"	"
Stare	31	F	Sis-in-law	"	"	"
Selma	7	F	Niece	"	"	"
Edwin	5	M	Nephew	"	"	"
Ferdinand	3	M	Nephew	"	"	"
Hilma	1	F	Niece	"	"	"

Noble Township

443C	120/121	Anderson, Alfred J.	30	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Mary	27	F	Wife	Ill.	Ill.	Ill.
		Edna	3	F	Dau.	"	Sweden	"
		Pearl	1	F	Dau.	"	"	"

447C	180/182	Pierson, Malta ⁸⁷	22	M	Servant	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Nelson, John	22	M	"	"	"	"

Liberty Township

450A	42/43	Bauer, Reinhold	24	M	Farmer	VA	Saxony	Saxony
		Ida C.	22	F	Wife	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Charles W.	1	M	Son	Kan.	VA	"
		George A.	1/12	M	Son	"	"	"

455D	138/145	Forslund, Peter ⁸⁸	34	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
	139/146	Olson, John ⁸⁹	35	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Christina	30	F	Wife	"	"	"
		Mary	9	F	Dau.	Ill.	"	"

		Oscar	5	M	Son	Ill.	Sweden	Sweden
		Frank	3	M	Son	"	"	"
		Albert	1	M	Son	Kan.	"	"
	140/147	Winroth, Herman ⁹⁰	44	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
456A	150/157	Dahlberg, Botvid ⁹¹	56	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Caroline	48	F	Wife	"	"	"
		Charles ⁹²	22	M	Son	"	"	"
Union Township								
458B	12/12	Sandberg, John	34	M	Stone mason	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Hagerman, Andrew	40	M	Stone mason, married	"	"	"
460A	329/41	Oakeson, Charles ⁹³	38	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Frederike	34	F	Wife	Prussia	Prussia	Prussia
		Brother	1	M	Son	Kan.	Sweden	"
Hope Township								
470D	99/100	Anderson, Charles E. ⁹⁴	34	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden
		Mary Ann	29	F	Wife	Tenn.	Tenn.	Tenn.
		Eddie F.	9	M	Son	Kan.	Sweden	"
		William K.	7	M	Son	"	"	"
		Calla R.	5	F	Dau.	"	"	"
		Aaron Elmer	3	M	Son	"	"	"
		Minnie V.	5/12	F	Dau., b. Dec. 1879	"	"	"

Notes

1. Gustav Alstrom was b. in Årås, Sandhult Parish (Älvs.) 1 Sept. 1844 and emigr. to the U.S. in 1868. He moved to KS in 1871 and m. in Junction City, Geary County, KS 11 Dec. 1871, settling south of Enterprise in 1872. He d. 28 Feb. 1924 and is bur. in PHC. - *EJ*, 6 March 1924.

2. Johanna Andersdotter was b. in Risinge Parish (Ög.) 7 Sept. 1844, dau. Anders Svensson and Elisabeth Jonsdotter. She emigr. to the U.S. prior to her marriage. The 1900 census indicates that she had no children, thus s. Charles may have been Gustav's s. by a previous marriage. She d. 31 May 1931 and is bur. in PHC. She was a sister of Mary Danielson (see No. 37); Anna Engstrom (see No. 46); John Anderson (see No. 47) and Christina Pearson (see No. 52). - *1900 Federal Census*, Center Township; *EJ*, 4 June 1931.

3. August Magnusson was b. in Borås 27 April 1844. He moved to Seglora Parish (Älvs.), where he m. 28 Dec. 1866 Anna Stina Johansdotter, b. 11 May 1844. They lived in Seglora until March 1880 when they left for the U.S. In America he assumed the surname Linn and settled near Gustav Alstrom (see No. 1), whom he had known in Sweden. August d. 18 Jan. 1902 and Anna 3 Jan. 1916 and both are bur. in PHC. - *EJ*, 24 Jan. 1902; 6 and 13 Jan. 1916; *Enterprise Star*, 23 Jan. 1902; *EP*, 23 Dec. 1937.

4. Anders Anderson was b. in Kungsberg, Järbo Parish (Gävl.) 2 Oct. 1834, s. Anders Lax, soldier, and Greta Jonsdotter. Margareta Jansdotter was also b. in Kungsberg 16 April 1840, dau. Jan Olsson and Stina Ersdotter. They were m. 2 Nov. 1860 and arr. in the U.S. in 1865. They res. first in Iowa but moved to Dickinson County in 1878. Andrew d. 7 Feb. 1908, Margareta 31 Oct. 1920. Both are bur. in PHC. Andrew was a brother of Brita Erickson (see No. 18) and Margareta was a sister of Lena Ostberg (see No. 26). - *EJ*, 13 Feb. 1908 and 4 Nov. 1920; *EP*, 24 March 1938.

5. John Burk was b. in Sweden 28 Feb. 1846 and emigr. to the U.S. in 1860. Mary C. Bagstrom was b. in Sweden in July 1850 and emigr. in 1869. They were m. in Galva, IL and settled in Newbern Township, Dickinson County in 1872. Mary d. in Denver, CO in Oct. 1916 and John d. in Newbern Township 7 Dec. 1928. Both are bur. in Abilene Cemetery. - *1900 Federal Census*, Newbern Township; *Abilene Weekly Reflector*, 26 Oct. 1916 and 13 Dec. 1928.

6. Gustaf E. Swan and Sarah Keough were m. in Abilene 28 Jan. 1880. - *Abilene Chronicle*, 30 Jan. 1880.

7. John Bram was b. in Sweden in March 1848 and emigr. to the U.S. in 1868. He m. in Ottumwa, IA 16 Dec. 1875 Mary L. Loper and settled in Cheever Township, Dickinson County in 1877. Mary d. in Longford, Clay County, KS 4 Aug. 1913 and was bur. in Henry Cemetery in Cheever. John's death and burial site have not been found. - *1900 Federal Census*, Cheever Township; *Clay Center Times*, 7 Aug. 1913.

8. Abraham Sandberg was b. in Norra Strö Parish (Krist.) 6 March 1817, s. Måns Åkesson Sandberg and Agnes Oredsdotter. He emigr. to the U.S. in 1851 and m. 30 Oct. that year in Illinois Ingri Ewalt, who was b. in Sweden 2 March 1828. They res. in Peoria, IL for a time and then settled in Hayes Township, Dickinson County in 1871. Ingri d. 30 March 1903; Abraham 7 March 1907 and both are bur. in Indian Hill Cemetery in Chapman, KS. The family assumed the name Sandborn in the U.S. They were the parents of Emily Goodwin (see No. 9) and Abraham was the uncle of Malte Pehrsson Sanborn (see No. 87). - *Chapman Advertiser*, 6 April 1903 and 21 March 1907; *KK*, Feb.

1990.

9. Emily M. Sandborn was b. Peoria, IL 20 Nov. 1855, dau. Abraham Sandborn (see No. 8) and Ingri Ewalt. She m. in Dickinson County 13 Feb. 1878 John Goodwin. She d. 2 Sept. 1941 and is bur. in Bethel Cemetery in Hayes Township. - *Abilene Chronicle*, 12 Sept. 1941; *KK*, Feb. 1990.

10. Although the entries are not identical this is probably a duplicate of the entry for the John Bram family of Cheever Township (see No. 7).

11. Carl Walfred Peterson was b. in Näs Parish (Gotl.) 14 Oct. 1845, s. Mårten Pettersson and Anna Catharina Pehrson. He emigr. 1869 and m. in New York 1 Jan. 1870 Elisabeth Clausson, b. in Havdhem Parish (Gotl.) 21 May 1845, dau. Claus Pehrson and Gertrud Pehrson. The couple settled in Center Township, Dickinson County in 1871. Elisabeth d. 8 Aug. 1887; Carl 13 Nov. 1933 and both are bur. in PHC. Elisabeth was the sister of Jacob Clauson (see No. 12) and Anna Pearson (see No. 24). - *Abilene Weekly Reflector*, 16 Nov. 1933; *EP*, 2 Sept. 1937; *KK*, Aug. 1989.

12. Jacob Nicklas Clauson was b. in Havdhem Parish (Gotl.) 30 Jan. 1841 and was a brother of Elisabeth Clauson (see No. 11) and Anna Pearson (see No. 24). He emigr. to the U.S. in 1869 and settled in Center Township, Dickinson County in 1871. He eventually returned to Sweden in 1886 and settled in Havdhem Parish. - *EP*, 2 Sept. 1937 and 7 April 1938; *KK*, Aug. 1989.

13. Charles Jacob Hanson was b. in Havdhem Parish (Gotl.) 18 Jan. 1845, s. Hans Christensson and Margareta Maltesdotter. He emigr. in 1869-1870 and settled in Center Township, Dickinson County where he m. 10 Feb. 1875 Mathilda Pearson, b. in Fide Parish (Gotl.) 20 Sept. 1853, dau. Mårten Pearson (see No. 14). Charles d. 6 Sept. 1928; Mathilda 10 Nov. 1934 and both are bur. in PHC. Charles was the brother of Lars Hanson (see No. 54). - *EJ*, 13 Sept. 1928 and 15 Nov. 1934; *EP*, 26 Aug. 1937; *KK*, Aug. 1990.

14. Martin Pearson was b. in Sundre Parish (Gotl.) 25 Jan. 1832, s. Pehr Mårtensson and Anna Maltesdotter. He m. in Havdhem Parish (Gotl.) 19 July 1853 Johanna Maria Hansdotter, b. in Fide Parish (Gotl.) 23 June 1832, dau. Hans Göransson. He emigr. to the U.S. in 1868 and settled in Center Township, Dickinson County ca. 1869-1870. Johanna d. 1 Oct. 1909 and Martin 9 Aug. 1911 and both are bur. in PHC. Martin was the brother of Peter Pearson (see No. 24). - *EJ*, 7 Oct. 1909 and 10 Aug. 1911; *EP*, 19 Aug. 1937; *KK*, Aug. 1989.

15. Batel Johannes Göransson was b. in Grötlingbo Parish (Gotl.) 16 July 1845, s. Göran Göransson and Anna Pehrson. He emigr. to the U.S. in 1869 and settled in Center Township in Dickinson County. He Anglicized his name, calling himself John Butler Sedergreen. He m. in Dickinson County 22 Dec. 1878 Mary Christina Pearson, who was b. in Sundre Parish (Gotl.) 16 Dec. 1857, dau. Mårten Pearson (see No. 14). Mary d. 26 Jan. 1902 and John d. 3 April 1930 and both of them are bur. in PHC. - *EJ*, 31 Jan. 1902 and 10 April 1930; *KK*, May 1990.

16. Erick Erickson was b. in Finnäs, Järbo Parish (Gäv.) 11 June 1829, s. Erik Jacobsson and Anna Larsdotter. He m. 9 Nov. 1854 Carin Ersdotter, b. in Nordanå, Järbo 19 April 1830, dau. Erik Olsson and Anna Larsdotter. They emigr. to the U.S. in 1876 and settled in Center Township, Dickinson County. Erick d. 8 April 1904 and Carin 13 May 1906 and both are bur. in PHC. Erick was the brother of Martha Kalin (see No. 25). - *EJ*, 15 April 1904 and 18 May 1906; *EP*, 13 May 1937.

17. Frank Broman was b. in Norra Sandsjö Parish (Jön.) 19 Sept. 1840, s. Johannes Broman and

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Anna Greta Johansdotter. He m. in Norra Sandsjö 11 April 1863 Gustava Charlotte Sandstedt, b. in Norra Sandsjö 28 Jan. 1842, dau. Carl Gustaf Sandstedt and Fredrika Stråberg. They emigr. to the U.S. in 1867 and settled in Center Township, Dickinson County 1870. Charlotte d. 28 March 1914 and Frank 4 Feb. 1917 and both are bur. in PHC. Frank was the brother of Isaac Broman (see No. 67) and Emma Backstrom (see No. 66). - *EJ*, 9 April 1914 and 15 Feb. 1917; *EP*, 28 Oct. 1937.

18. Olof Erickson was b. in Botjärn, Järbo Parish 28 April 1826, s. Erik Olsson and Stina Pehrson. He m. 26 Dec. 1854 Brita Andersdotter who was b. in Nordanå, Järbo 5 Sept. 1826, dau. Anders Lax and Greta Jonsdotter. They emigr. 1866 and res. for three years in Iowa before settling in Center Township in 1869. Olof d. 8 March 1887 and Brita 14 July 1903 and both are bur. in PHC. Brita was the sister of Andrew Anderson (see No. 4). - *Enterprise Herald*, 1 Aug. 1903; *EP*, 29 April 1937.

19. Elisabeth Hansdotter was b. in Järbo Parish 12 Jan. 1835, dau. Hans Ersson and Carin Pehrson. She m. in 1859 Jacob Jacobsson who was b. in Finnäs, Järbo 17 Dec. 1832, s. Jacob Jacobsson and Brita Henriksdotter. They emigr. 1865 and lived for five years in Iowa before coming to Center Township in Dickinson County ca. 1870. Jacob d. in 1873 and Elisabeth 16 April 1897. Both are bur. in PHC. Jacob was the brother of Anna Jackson (see No. 41) and Brita Blom (see No. 22). - *EJ*, 22 April 1897; *EP*, 15 April 1937.

20. Olof Ersson was b. in Järbo Parish 25 Aug. 1845 and m. in Järbo 13 April 1868 Brita Hansdotter, who was b. in Finnäs, Järbo 25 Sept. 1835, dau. Sven Måns Olsson and Maria Carlsdotter. They emigr. to the U.S. in 1868 and settled in Center Township in 1869. The family assumed the surname of Dahlstrom in the U.S. Brita d. 17 May 1893 and Olof 16 March 1922. Both are bur. in PHC. Brita was the sister of Hans Nordquist (see No. 53). - *EJ*, 23 March 1922; *EP*, 22 July 1937.

21. Jacob Ostrom was b. in Nordanå, Järbo 4 Oct. 1821, s. Pehr Larsson and Lisa Jacobsdotter. He m. 8 Oct. 1845 Anna Jansdotter, who d. 2 May 1852. He m. for the second time 16 May 1853 Brita Jansdotter. They emigr. to the U.S. in 1867 and lived for two years in Iowa, where Brita d. in 1869. Jacob then moved to Center Township, Dickinson County. He d. 5 June 1908 and is bur. in PHC. - *EJ*, 11 June 1908; *EP*, 25 March 1937; *KK*, May 1992.

22. The Rev. Henry Blom was b. in Sweden 18 Dec. 1837. He m. in 1863 Brita Jacobsdotter who was b. in Finnäs, Järbo, dau. Jacob Jacobsson and Brita Henriksdotter. They emigr. to the U.S. in 1866 and res. for four years in Iowa before settling in Center Township in 1870. They moved to Roswell, NM in 1905, where Brita d. 21 Nov. 1915; Henry 30 Aug. 1917. Both are bur. in Roswell. Brita was the sister of Anna Jackson (see No. 41) and Jacob Jacobson (see No. 19). - *EJ*, 2 Dec. 1915 and 20 Sept. 1917; *1900 Federal Census*, Center Township; *EP*, 17 June 1937.

23. Erick Calene was b. in Kalltjärn, Järbo 26 Oct. 1844, s. Louis and Christina Calene (see No. 50). He emigr. to the U.S. in 1868 and settled in Center Township. Brita Molander was b. in Mo, Ockelbo Parish (GävL) 29 Dec. 1855, dau. Lars and Brita Molander. She emigr. in 1868 and settled in Riley County, KS. Erick and Brita were m. there 22 May 1877. Erick d. 10 Sept. 1922; Brita 14 July 1929 and both are bur. in PHC. - *EJ*, 14 Sept. 1922 and 18 July 1929; *EP*, 8 July 1937.

24. Peter Pearson was b. in Sundre Parish (Gotl.) 4 Jan. 1839, s. Pehr Mårtensson and Anna Maltesdotter. He emigr. to the U.S. in 1869 and settled in Center Township, Dickinson County in 1870. He m. in Dickinson County 4 Dec. 1875 Anna Clauson, who was b. in Havdhem Parish (Gotl.) 12 Dec. 1847, dau. laus Pehrsson and Gertrud Pehrson. She emigr. to the U.S. in the

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early 1870s. Peter d. 8 Feb. 1884 and Anna m. for the second time Thomas Thompson. She d. 10 July 1935 and was bur. in PHC where her first husband was interred. Peter was the brother of Martin Pearson (see No. 14) and Anna was the sister of Elisabeth Peterson (see No. 11) and Jacob Clauson (see No. 12). - *EJ*, 18 July 1935; *EP*, 24 June 1937; *KK*, Aug. 1989.

25. Olof Jacobsson was b. in Kalltjärn, Järbo Parish 11 Sept. 1829, s. Jacob Jacobsson and Brita Pehrsson. He was m. 7 Nov. 1851 to Martha Ersdotter, b. in Finnäs, Järbo 10 Jan. 1826, dau. Erik Jacobsson and Anna Larsdotter. Olof assumed the surname Kallin in Sweden, obviously having reference to the village where Olof was b. The name is usually spelled Kalin in U.S. records, although sometimes spelled Calene, which causes some confusion with the Peter and Louis Calene families. Olof emigr. to the U.S. in 1869 and settled in Center Township, Dickinson County in 1871. He d. 9 March 1895. Martha d. 23 April 1903 and both are bur. in BLC. Olof was a brother of Peter Jackson (see No. 41) and Martha was the sister of Erick Erickson (see No. 16). - *EJ*, 14 March 1895 and 1 May 1903; *EP*, 7 Oct. 1937.

26. Andrew Ostberg was b. in Sweden in Oct. 1840 and emigr. to the U.S. in 1866 and res. eight years in Iowa. In 1868 he m. Lena Jansdotter, b. in Kungsberg, Järbo Parish 17 March 1842, dau. Jan Olsson and Stina Ersdotter. They settled in Center Township, Dickinson County in 1874. In 1912 they moved to Selah, Yakima County, WA, where Lena d. 10 Jan. 1916 and Andrew 12 Oct. 1923. Lena was the sister of Margareta Anderson (see No. 4). - *1900 Federal Census*, Center Township; *EJ*, 20 Jan. 1916 and 18 Oct. 1923; *EP*, 1 July 1837.

27. Louis P. Nordstrom was b. in Sweden 26 Aug. 1835. He is probably identical to Lars Pehrsson, b. in Nordanå, Järbo Parish on that date, s. Pehr Pehrsson and Anna Olsdotter. He emigr. to the U.S. in 1867 and m. in Iowa 1870 Christine Johnson, who was b. in Sweden 27 Nov. 1840. The couple settled in Center Township in 1870. In 1895 they moved to Kansas City, MO and in 1907 to Lindsborg, KS, where Louis d. 15 Jan. 1911. Christine d. in Salina, KS 23 June 1919. Both are bur. in BLC. - *BLR*; *EJ*, 19 Jan. 1911 and 26 June 1919; *Lindsborg Posten*, 20 Jan. 1911; *EP*, 18 Nov. 1937.

28. Daniel August Swenson was in b. in Alsheda Parish (Jön.) 24 Sept. 1839, s. Sven Johan Danielsson and Eva Lisa Johansdotter. He m. in Björkö Parish (Jön.) 1 June 1866 Anna Maria Sandquist, b. in Nävelsjö Parish (Jön.) 28 June 1838, dau. Johan Peter Sandquist (see No. 36) and Stina Maria Johannesdotter. The couple emigr. to the U.S. in 1870 and settled in Center Township, Dickinson County. Upon their arrival the family assumed the surname Lindahl. Daniel d. 9 April 1883; Anna 3 June 1927 and both are bur. in BLC. Daniel was the brother of John P. Swenson (see No. 29) and Anna was the sister of Johanna Nelson (see No. 63), Louisa Peterson (see No. 35), and Alfred Sandquist (see No. 64). - *BLR*; *EJ*, 9 June 1927; *EP*, 10 Feb. 1938.

29. John Peter Swenson was b. in Ökna Parish (Jön.) 26 April 1837, s. Sven Johan Danielsson and Eva Lisa Johansdotter. He d. unmarried 18 March 1887 and was bur. in BLC. He was a brother of Daniel August Lindahl (see No. 28). - *BLR*.

30. Helena Catharina Batelsdotter was b. in Grötlingbo Parish (Gotl.) 26 Aug. 1835, dau. Batel Göransson and Brita Mårtensdotter. She emigr. to the U.S. in 1868 and settled in Center Township, Dickinson County. She m. there 12 March 1876 John Kirchner. She d. in Concordia, KS 27 June 1926 and was bur. there. She was a sister of John Ronstrom (see No. 62). - *EJ*, 1 July 1926; *EP*, 25 Nov. 1937; *KK*, May, 1990.

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31. Christina Catharina Johannesdotter was b. in Lilla Brantås, Nävelsjö Parish (Jön.) 9 Aug. 11 1814, dau. Johannes Svensson and Gustava Petersdotter Nyman. She moved to Norra Sandsjö Parish in 1836, where she m. Peter Daniel Jonasson. In 1852 the couple emigr. to the U.S. and settled first near Buffalo, NY, where her husband and several children d. of cholera. She returned to Sweden with her s. John Peterson, while an older s., Per Joshua Peterson, remained in the U.S. Christina returned to the U.S. in the late 1860s, settled briefly in Indiana, where she m. for the second time a Mr. Lindquist. He soon d. and she then moved to Dickinson County in order to be near her s. John Peterson (see No. 33). She d. 7 Nov. 1882. - *BLR*; *EP*, 11 Nov. and 30 Dec. 1937 and 17 March 1938.

32. Carl Fredrik Olofsson was b. in Binnerbäck, Högby Parish (Kalm.), 12 Nov. 1842, s. Olof Fredrik Svensson and Carin Månsdotter. Brita Christina Pehrson was b. in Byerum, Böda Parish (Kalm.) 17 Jan. 1854, dau. Pehr Pehrsson and Brita Andersdotter. Carl Fredrik and Brita Christina were m. in Böda 2 March 1876 and emigr. to the U.S. in 1879, settling in Center Township. The parents assumed the surname Backstrom in the U.S., whereas most of the children spelled the name Baxtrom. Carl (Charles) d. 1 June 1898 and Christina d. 16 Nov. 1929. Both are bur. in BLC. Charles was the brother of Peter Backstrom (see No. 66) and Christina was the sister of John Peterson (see No. 33). - *BLR*; *EJ*, 2 June 1898 and 21 Nov. 1929.

33. John Peterson was b. in Byerum, Böda 5 Jan. 1856, s. Pehr Pehrsson and a brother of Christina Backstrom (see No. 32). He emigr. to the U.S. in 1879.

34. Lars Olsson was b. in Järbo Parish (Gäv.) 28 Jan. 1829, s. Olof Larsson and Margta Olsdotter. He emigr. to the U.S. in 1855 and settled in Dickinson County in 1858. He assumed the name Jaderborg in the U.S., which may have had a connection to the parish where he was b. He m. in Dickinson County 31 Aug. 1871 Mathilda Samuelson, who was b. in Vimmerby Parish (Kalm.) 24 July 1850 according to the Bethlehem Parish records. She may possibly be identical to the Mathilda, b. 19 July 1850 in Vimmerby, the dau. of Samuel Amundsson and Anna Nilsdotter. She emigr. to the U.S. in 1868. Lars and Mathilda moved to Lindsborg, KS ca. 1910. Lars d. 8 Jan. 1916 and Mathilda d. 6 Aug. 1918. Both are bur. in BLC. - *BLR*; *Lindsborg Posten* 12 Jan. 1916 and 14 Aug. 1918; *EP*, 31 March 1938.

35. Johannes Magnus Peterson was b. in Norra Sandsjö Parish (Jön.) 11 Oct. 1840, s. Peter Daniel Jonasson and Christina Catharina Johannesdotter. He emigr. to the U.S. in 1852, but returned to Sweden after the death of his father. Christina Lovisa Sandquist was b. in Björkö Parish (Jön.) 23 March 1843, dau. Johan Peter Sandquist (see No. 36) and Stina Maria Johannesdotter. They were m. in Norra Sandsjö Parish 27 April 1867. In the same year the couple emigr. to the U.S., settling in Center Township, Dickinson County. Lovisa d. 17 May 1915 and John 15 Sept. 1929. Both are bur. in BLC. John was the s. of Christina Lindquist (see No. 31); Lovisa was the sister of Anna Lindahl (see No. 28), Johanna Nelson (see No. 63, and Alfred Sandquist (see No. 64). - *EJ*, 27 May 1915 and 19 Sept. 1929; *EP*, 17 March 1938.

36. Johan Peter Johannesson was b. in Norra Sandsjö Parish 18 Sept. 1809. He assumed the surname of Sandquist in Sweden, obviously from the parish of his birth. He m. in Nävelsjö Parish (Jön.) 3 June 1837 Stina Maria Johannesdotter, b. in Nävelsjö 30 Aug. 1814, dau. Johannes Jonasson and Maria Johansdotter. Johan emigr. to the U.S. in the late 1870s after the death of his wife and res. with his children in Center Township. He d. 9 May 1892 and is bur. in BLC. - *BLR*; *EP*, 17 March 1938.

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37. Maria Lisa Andersdotter was b. in Hällestad Parish (Ög.) 10 April 1834, dau. Anders Svensson and Elisabeth Jonsdotter. She m. in Hällestad 26 Dec. 1860 Anders Andersson, who d. 31 Aug. 1865. In this marriage there was one s., Anders, b. in Hällestad 4 Sept. 1861. Maria Lisa m. for the second time 19 Dec. 1868 Anders Johan Jansson and the family emigr. to the U.S. in 1869. Shortly after the arrival in America her second husband d. and Maria Lisa then settled in Center Township, Dickinson County. She m. for the third time in Dickinson 4 March 1875 Olof Nystrom (see No. 68), but this marriage soon ended in divorce. She m. for the fourth time in Dickinson County 11 May 1878 Gustav Danielson. He was b. in Sweden in 1845. Gustav d. 1 July 1898. Maria outlived her fourth husband and d. 14 Aug. 1917. Both Gustav and Maria Lisa are bur. in PHC. Maria Lisa was the sister of Johanna Alstrom (see No. 2), John Anderson (see No. 47), Christina Pearson (see No. 52, and Anna Engstrom (see No. 46). - *EJ*, 7 July 1898 and 23 Aug. 1917; *EP*, 17 Feb. 1938; *KK*, Nov. 1990.

38. Elof and Josephine m. in Dickinson County 17 Oct. 1879. They moved to Durango, CO in 1886. Elof d. in Durango in Dec. 1906. - Dickinson County Marriage Records; *EJ*, 6 Dec. 1906; *EP*, 24 Feb. 1938.

39. William Lindwell was in b. in Center Township, Dickinson County 10 June 1873, s. Otto Lindwell or Lindwall, who was b. in Sweden in 1828 and d. 5 July 1879. His mother was Augusta Lindwall, b. in Sweden in 1849 and d. in Feb. 1880. William moved to California as an adult. He d. in Quincy, CA 22 Dec. 1930. - *BLR*; *EJ*, 25 Dec. 1930.

40. Olof Forslund was b. in Kungsberg, Järbo Parish (Gävl.) 13 Feb. 1843, s. Stina Pehrsondotter, who later m. Lars Ersson, who may have been the father. Anna Erickson was b. in Lundfors, Järbo 29 Oct. 1850, dau. Johan Eriksson and Carin Ersdotter (see No. 45). They were m. in 1867 and left for America in 1869. At first they lived in Galva, IL but then moved to Center Township, Dickinson County. Olof d. 12 Jan. 1913 and Anna 25 Dec. 1936. Both are bur. in PHC. - *EJ*, 16 Jan. 1913 and 31 Dec. 1936; *EP*, 4 Nov. 1937.

41. Pehr Jacobsson was b. in Kalltjärn, Järbo Parish 24 June 1836, s. Jacob Jacobsson and Brita Pehrsondotter. Anna Jacobsdotter was b. in Finnäs, Järbo 14 Dec. 1836, dau. Jacob Jacobsson and Brita Henriksdotter. They were m. in Järbo 23 June 1861 and emigr. to America in 1868, settling in Center Township, Dickinson County. Pehr (Peter) d. 20 Dec. 1917; Anna 28 Nov. 1925. Both are bur. in BLC. Peter was a brother of Olof Kalin (see No. 25) and Anna was a sister of Jacob Jacobson (see No. 19) and Brita Blom (see No. 22). - *EJ*, 3 Jan. 1918 and 3 Dec. 1925; *EP*, 13 Jan. 1938.

42. This entry is probably identical to the one for Andrew Anderson (see No. 4).

43. Pehr Erickson was b. in Lundfors, Järbo Parish 23 Dec. 1857, s. Johan Eriksson and Carin Ersdotter (see No. 45). He emigr. to the U.S. in 1869 together with his parents. He d. 5 March 1954 and is bur. in PHC. - *Abilene Reflector-Chronicle*, 11 March 1954.

44. Hans Jäder d. in 1881 of smallpox and was bur. in BLC at night to avoid infecting the area during the funeral. He was unmarried. - *EP*, 23 Sept. 1937 and 6 Jan. 1938.

45. Jon Ersson was b. in Lundfors, Järbo Parish 16 April 1825, s. Erik Jonsson and Anna Henriksdotter. Carin Ersdotter was b. in Kungsberg, Järbo 5 March 1839, dau. Erik Jonsson and Lena Olsdotter. They were m. 26 Dec. 1849 and emigr. to the U.S. in 1869. They lived briefly in

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Galva, IL but soon settled in Center Township, Dickinson County in 1870. Carin d. 3 Dec. 1887 and John d. 14 May 1915. Both are bur. in BLC. - *BLR*; *EJ*, 20 May 1915; *EP*, 20 Jan. 1938.

46. Erik August Engstrom was b. in Risinge Parish (Ög.) 16 Nov. 1833, s. Nils Engström and Brita Lisa Gustafsdotter. Anna Sophia Andersdotter was b. in Hällestad Parish (Ög.) 28 Oct. 1836, dau. Anders Svensson and Elisabeth Jonsdotter. They were m. in Risinge 3 Nov. 1860 and emigr. to the U.S. in 1870, settling in Center Township, Dickinson County. Erik d. 19 Nov. 1915 and Anna moved to Kansas City, MO in 1919 in order to res. with a dau. She d. 21 May 1933. Both of them are bur. in PHC. Anna was the sister of John Anderson (see No. 47), Maria Danielson (see No. 37), Johanna Alstrom (see No. 2, and Christina Pearson (see No. 52). - *EJ*, 25 Nov. 1915 and 1 June 1933; *EP*, 16 Dec. 1937.

47. Johannes Andersson was b. in Hällestad Parish 29 May 1840, s. Anders Svensson and Elisabeth Jonsdotter. Carolina Jonsdotter was also b. in Hällestad 7 Nov. 1839, dau. Jon Månsson and Lena Andersdotter. They were m. in Hällestad 27 Oct. 1865 and emigr. to the U.S. in 1880, settling in Center Township. John d. 19 Feb. 1913 and Carolina 30 Jan. 1924. Both are bur. in PHC. Johannes was the brother of Anna Engstrom (see No. 46), Johanna Alstrom (see No. 2), Maria Danielson (see No. 37) and Christina Pearson (see No. 52). - *EJ*, 27 Feb. 1913 and 7 Feb. 1924; *EP*, 3 March 1938.

48. Hans Andersson was b. in Nordanå, Järbo Parish (Gävl.) 26 Sept. 1854, s. Anders Andersson and Brita Hansdotter. Brita Erickson was b. in Finnäs, Järbo 22 March 1857, dau. Erik Eriksson and Carin Ersdotter (see No. 16). They emigr. to the U.S. together with her parents in 1876 and settled in Center Township. In the U.S. the family assumed the surname of Lind. Brita d. 3 Feb. 1914 and Hans 25 Aug. 1932. Both are bur. in BLC. - *EJ*, 12 Feb. 1914 and 1 Sept. 1932; *EP*, 16 Sept. 1937.

49. Lars Larsson was b. in Kalltjärn, Järbo Parish 13 June 1851, s. Lars Ersson and Christina Pehrsondotter (see No. 50). He emigr. to America in 1870 and settled in Center Township, Dickinson County. Unmarried, he d. in 1891 and is bur. in PHC.

50. Lars Ersson was b. in Kalltjärn, Järbo 5 Jan. 1823, s. Erik Larsson and Anna Pehrsondotter. Christina Pehrsondotter was b. in Kungsberg, Järbo 16 May 1816, dau. Pehr Larsson and Anna Ersdotter. They were m. 24 June 1844. The family assumed the surname of Calene while still in Sweden; emigr. to the U.S. in 1870 and settled in Center Township. Lars (Louis) d. 2 Oct. 1881; Christina d. 5 May 1907 and both are bur. in PHC. Louis (Lars) was the brother of Peter Calene (see No. 57). - *EJ*, 9 May 1907; *EP*, 3 June 1937.

51. Isaac Hed was b. in Järbo Parish 19 Feb. 1822, s. Lars Isaksson and Anna Ersdotter. Margta Ersdotter was also b. in Järbo 25 May 1821, dau. Erik Ersson and Margta Olsdotter. They were m. 26 Dec. 1845. Isaac emigr. to the U.S. early in the 1870s with his s. Jonas. Martha emigr. in 1876. The family settled in Center Township, Dickinson County. Isaac d. 6 Jan. 1886 and Margta d. 25 Oct. 1905. Both are bur. in PHC. - *EJ*, 27 Oct. 1905; *Enterprise Anti-Monopolist*, 14 Jan. 1886; *EP*, 6 May 1937.

52. John Pearson was b. in Risinge Parish (Ög.) 28 Jan. 1826, s. Petter Hansson and Anna Eriksdotter. Christina Charlotte Andersdotter was b. in Regna Parish (Ög.) 11 April 1829, dau. Anders Svensson and Elisabeth Jonsdotter. They were m. in Risinge Parish 21 Nov. 1851 and emigr. to America in 1868, settling in Center Township, Dickinson County. John d. 24 March 1905 and was bur. in BLC. His widow, Christina, later moved to Washington County, OR in order to

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res. there with her s. She d. at Forest Grove, OR 27 Oct. 1919. She was the sister of John Anderson (see No. 47), Anna Engstrom (see No.46), Maria Danielson (see No. 37), and Johanna Alstrom (see No. 2). - Bethlehem Parish Records; *EJ*, 31 March 1905; *Washington County News-Times*, 30 Oct. 1919; *BP*, 9 Dec. 1937; *KK*, Feb. 1992.

53. Hans Svensson was b. in Nordanå, Järbo Parish (Gävl.) 21 Nov. 1828, s. Sven Måns Olsson and Maria Carlsdotter. He m. Christina Pehrson, who was b. 11 June 1830. The family assumed the surname of Nordquist while still in Sweden. They emigr. to the U.S. in 1869 and settled in Center Township. Hans d. in 1888 and Christina in 1890, both being bur. in PHC. Hans was a brother of Brita Dahlstrom (see No. 20). - *BP*, 14 Oct. 1937.

54. Lars Hansson was b. in Grötlingbo Parish (Gotl.) 22 Jan. 1838, s. Hans Christensson and Margareta Maltesdotter. Maria Bolin was b. in Havdhem Parish (Gotl.) 12 Aug. 1839, dau. Paul Bolin and Anna Andersdotter. They were m. in Havdhem Parish 3 Aug. 1861. Lars emigr. in 1869 and the wife and children followed in 1871. The family settled in Center Township, Dickinson County. Lars d. 13 Sept. 1904 and Maria 21 Oct. 1909. Both are bur. in PHC. Lars was the brother of Charles Hanson (see No. 13) and Maria was the half-sister of Emma Bolin (see No. 56). - *EJ*, 23 Sept 1904 and 4 Nov. 1909; *BP*, 20 May 1937; *KK*, Aug. 1990.

55. Andreas Nickolas Björkander was b. in Grötlingbo Parish 5 April 1850, s. Botolf Björkander and Brita Stina Fransdotter. He emigr. to the U.S. in 1879 and m. in Dickinson County 20 June 1880 Emma Bolin (see No. 56). He d. 18 March 1927 and was bur. in PHC. - *EJ*, 24 May 1927; *KK*, Aug. 1990.

56. Emma Bolin was b. in Havdhem Parish (Gotl.) 2 Feb. 1858, dau. Paul Bolin and Eva Lovisa Wiman. She emigr. to the U.S. in 1879 and m. Andreas Nickolas Björkander (see No. 55). She d. 17 July 1934 and was bur. in PHC. She was a half-sister of Maria Hanson (see No. 54). - *EJ*, 19 July 1934; *KK*, Aug. 1990.

57. Pehr Ersson was b. in Kalltjäm, Järbo Parish (Gävl.) 6 May 1831, s. Erik Larsson and Anna Pehrson. Carin Pehrson was b. in Vreten, Järbo 18 April 1843, dau. Pehr Pehrsson and Carin Larsdotter. Pehr assumed the surname of Calene in Sweden and emigr. to the U.S. in 1854. He mined for gold in California, returned to Sweden in 1868 and brought his fiancée to the U.S., where they were m. in Dickinson County 24 Sept. 1870. Peter d. 15 June 1897, Carin 9 Feb. 1936. Both are bur. in PHC. Peter was the brother of Louis Calene (see No. 50) and Carin was the sister of John A. Peterson (see No. 59). - *EJ*, 17 June 1897 and 13 Feb. 1936; *BP*, 1 April 1937.

58. John J. Erickson was b. in Lundfors, Järbo Parish (Gävl.) 11 March 1855, s. Johan Eriksson and Carin Ersdotter (see No. 45). He emigr. to the U.S. in 1869 together with his parents and settled in Center Township, Dickinson County in 1870. He d. 9 July 1936 and was bur. in PHC. - *EJ*, 16 July, 1936; *BP*, 27 May 1937.

59. Andreas Johannes Pehrsson was b. in Vreten, Järbo Parish 23 Nov. 1857, s. Pehr Pehrsson and Carin Larsdotter. He emigr. to the U.S. in 1876. Later he went to Colorado, where he became a miner. He was killed in a mine explosion 19 Sept. 1896 near Georgetown, Clear Creek Canyon, CO. He was unmarried and was bur. in PHC. He was a brother of Carin Calene (see No. 57). - *EJ*, 24 Sept. 1896.

60. Andrew G. Forsberg and Katie Lind were m. 1 Jan. 1879. - Dickinson County Marriage Records.

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61. Olof Norell and family moved to Center Township from Iowa but res. in Dickinson but a few years. Later they moved to Morris County, KS and from there to Nebraska. - *EP*, 14 Oct. 1837.

62. Göran Johannes Batelsson was b. in Grötlingbo Parish (Gotl.) 20 June 1838, s. Batel Göransson and Brita Mårtensdotter. He assumed the surname of Rahnström in Sweden which was altered to Ronstrom in the U.S. Brita Lorentina Öhman was b. in Grötlingbo 2 April 1839, dau. Zacharias Öhman and Cajsa Lisa Olofsdotter. They were m. in 1865 and came to America in 1869, settling in Center Township, Dickinson County. John (Johannes) d. 3 May 1906, Brita 19 May 1935. Both are bur. in PHC. John was a brother of Catherine Kirchner (see No. 30). - *EJ*, 4 May 1906 and 23 May 1935; *KK*, May 1990.

63. Samuel Nelson was b. in Lotorp, Risinge Parish (Ög.) 9 May 1843, s. Nils Birgersson and Anna Pehrsdotter. He emigr. to the U.S. in 1868. Johanna Gustava Sandquist was b. in Björkö Parish (Jön.) 4 Sept. 1840, dau. Johan Peter Sandquist (see No. 36) and Stina Maria Johannesdotter. She also emigr. to the U.S. in 1868. They were m. in Dickinson County 26 May 1873. Samuel d. 5 Dec. 1897; Johanna 13 Feb. 1918. Both are bur. in BLC. Samuel was the brother of Olof August Nelson (see No. 74) and Carl Gustaf Nelson (see No. 82). Johanna was the sister of Lovisa Peterson (see No. 35, Anna Lindahl (see No. 28), and Alfred Sandquist (see No. 64). - *EJ*, 9 Dec. 1897 and 21 Feb. 1918; *EP*, 15 July 1837.

64. John Alfred Sandquist was b. in Björkö Parish (Jön.) 8 June 1846, s. Johan Peter Sandquist (see No. 36) and Stina Maria Johannesdotter. He emigr. to the U.S. in 1871. Emma Christina Collin was b. in Hällefors Parish (Öre.) 26 Jan. 1839, dau. Carl Gustaf Collin and Johanna Nilsdotter (see No. 65). She emigr. to the U.S. ca. 1870. They were m. in Dickinson County 10 Dec. 1871. Emma d. 6 Jan. 1916 and is bur. in PHC. Alfred moved to California in 1917, where he remarried and d. 8 March 1929. Alfred was a brother of Anna Lindahl (see No. 28), Lovisa Peterson (see No. 35), and Johanna Nelson (see No. 63). - *EJ*, 13 Jan. 1916 and 21 March 1919; *EP*, 8 April 1937; *KK*, Nov. 1988.

65. Johanna Nilsdotter was b. in Hällefors Parish (Öre.) 24 June 1810, dau. Nils Adamsson and Catharina Ersdotter. She was m. to Carl Gustaf Collin 21 July 1837. Collin was b. in Hällefors 12 June 1813 and d. in Hällefors 5 June 1862. Johanna emigr. to the U.S. ca. 1873 in order to res. with her dau. Emma Sandquist (see No. 64) in Center Township, Dickinson County. She d. 14 Feb. 1909 and is bur. in PHC. - *EJ*, 18 Feb. 1909; *EP*, 8 Nov. 1937; *KK*, Nov. 1988.

66. Peter Olofsson was b. in Binnerbäck, Högby Parish (Kalm.) 22 Jan. 1841, s. Olof Fredrik Svensson and Carin Månsdotter. He emigr. to the U.S. in the late 1860s and assumed the surname Backstrom. Emma Ottilia Broman was b. in Norra Sandsjö Parish (Jön.) 29 Dec. 1847, dau. Johannes Broman and Anna Greta Johansdotter. She emigr. in 1867. They were m. in Geary County, KS 11 July 1868 and settled in Center Township. The family subsequently moved away from Center Township. Peter was a brother of Charles Backstrom (see No. 32) and Emma was a sister of Frank Broman (see No. 17) and Isaac Broman (see No. 67). - Geary County, KS Marriage Records.

67. Isaac Broman was b. in Norra Sandsjö Parish 16 Dec. 1834, s. Johannes Broman and Anna Greta Johansdotte. He emigr. to the U.S. in the late 1860s and had settled in Center Township by 1870 together with his wife Johanna. The family subsequently moved to Leadville, CO. Isaac was a brother of Frank Broman (see No. 17) and Emma Backstrom (see No. 66). - 1870 Federal Census, Dickinson County; *EP*, 15 July 1937.

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68. Olof Nyström was b. in Sweden 12 Aug. 1838 and settled in Center Township, Dickinson County in the early 1870s. On 4 March 1875 he m. in Dickinson County Maria Andersdotter (see No. 37) in her third marriage but the marriage ended in divorce a few years later. Nyström eventually moved to the Pacific Coast. - *BLR*; *IP*, 14 Oct. 1937; *KK*, Nov. 1990.

69. Andrew J. Logback was b. in Sweden 27 July 1849, probably the s. of Peter and Sarah Logback (see No. 70). He emigr. to the U.S. in 1868 and settled at first in Lawrence, KS, later moving to Ellsworth, KS. Martha Ostrom was b. in Finnäs, Järbo Parish (Gävl.) 22 Jan. 1852, dau. Jacob Ostrom (see No. 21) by his first wife. She emigr. to the U.S. in 1867, settling in Center Township. The couple was m. in Ellsworth 18 April 1874 and then lived in Enterprise until 1884 when they moved to Clay Center, KS. Andrew d. 5 July 1890 and Martha 1 June 1916. Both are bur. in PHC. August Logback was b. in Sweden 20 Jan. 1861. - *BLR*; *Clay County Dispatch*, 10 July 1890; *Clay Center Times*, 8 June 1916; *KK*, May 1992.

70. Peter Logback was b. in Sweden 29 Dec. 1823 and Sarah M. Johansdotter was b. 26 Nov. 1821, also in Sweden. They were probably the parents of Andrew and August Logback (see No. 69). The Bethlehem Parish records list the surname as Lagerback. Peter and Sarah moved to Lindsborg, McPherson County, KS in the early 1880s, where they appear in the 1900 Census. - *BLR*; 1900 *Federal Census*, McPherson County, KS.

71. Adelia Hanson is probably identical to Dina Hanson, dau. of Lars and Maria Hanson (see No. 54). If this is the case, she was b. in Havdhem Parish (Gotl.) 6 May 1864 as Anna Catharina Bernhardina Larsdotter. She emigr. to the U.S. in 1871 and settled in Center Township, Dickinson County. She was known as Delia Hanson in the U.S. She m. 28 Dec. 1884 Frank J. Emery and settled in Kansas City, KS, where she d. 26 April 1932. - *EJ*, 5 May 1932; *KK*, Aug. 1990.

72. John Calene was b. in Kalltjärn, Järbo Parish (Gävl.) 7 July 1856, s. Louis and Christina Calene (see No. 50). He emigr. to the U.S. in 1870 and later moved to Sylvan Grove, Lincoln County, KS where he d. 31 March 1921. - *EJ*, 7 April 1921.

73. Anders P. Olson was b. in Gärdslösa Parish (Kalm.) 21 May 1840, s. Olof Andersson and Maria Larsdotter. Carin Pehrson was also b. in Gärdslösa 21 Feb. 1839. They were m. in 1861 and emigr. to the U.S. in 1873, settling in Enterprise in 1874. Andrew d. 22 May 1902, Carin 24 Aug. 1898. Both are bur. in Mount Hope Cemetery in Enterprise. - *EJ*, 25 Aug. 1898 and 5 June 1902; *KK*, Feb. 1989.

74. Olof August Nelson was b. in Risinge Parish (Ög.) 7 Sept. 1846, s. Nils Birgersson and Anna Pehrson. He emigr. to the U.S. in 1879 and m. in Dickinson County 23 Jan. 1880 Adolphina Johnson. They later moved to Burdick, Morris County, KS. Olof d. in 1934 and Adolphina in 1947. Both are bur. in Hebron Lutheran Cemetery in Burdick. Olof was a brother of Samuel Nelson (see No. 63) and Carl Gustaf Nelson (see No. 82). - Dickinson County Marriage Records; Hebron Lutheran Cemetery tombstone; *IP*, 15 July 1937.

75. Erick Linde was b. in Sweden 11 Dec. 1842 and came to Enterprise in 1879 from Illinois. He d. in Enterprise 18 Sept. 1925 and is bur. in BLC. - *EJ*, 24 Sept. 1925; *IP*, 24 March 193.

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76. Magnus Johnson was b. in Sweden 12 Jan. 1841 and d. 28 Dec. 1883. Caroline d. 13 Aug. 1890 at the age of 44 years, 4 months and 25 days. Both are bur. in Liberty Cemetery. - Liberty Cemetery tombstone.

77. Peter F. Sahlberg was b. 5 May 1834 and d. 11 March 1897. He is bur. in Liberty Cemetery. - Liberty Cemetery tombstone.

78. Olof Oscar Johnson was b. 15 June 1845 and d. 26 Nov. 1900. Sigrid E. Dahlstrom was b. 4 June 1841 and d. 19 April 1911. Both are bur. in Liberty Cemetery. Both emigr. to the U.S. in 1871. Sigrid may have been the dau. of Maria Dahlstrom (see No. 80). - Liberty Cemetery tombstone; *1900 Federal Census*, Fragrant Hill Township.

79. Filip Mathias Dahlstrom was b., supposedly near Stockholm, 21 Aug. 1843, the s. and grandson of prominent Swedish artists. He emigr. to the U.S. in 1865 and d. in Parsons, KS 24 Oct. 1906 on his way home from a visit to his s. Gus in Texas. He was the s. of Maria G. Dahlstrom (see No. 80). Charlotte was b. 16 Oct. 1845 and d. 31 Oct. 1892. Both are bur. in Liberty Cemetery. - Liberty Cemetery tombstone; *Abilene Weekly Reflector*, 1 and 29 Nov. 1906.

80. Maria G. Dahlstrom was b. 23 Dec. 1806 and d. 7 April 1891. She is bur. in Liberty Cemetery. She was the mother of Filip Mathias Dahlstrom (see No. 79) and probably Sigrid Johnson (see No. 78). - Liberty Cemetery tombstone.

81. Carl Erik Hagberg was b. in Sjöstugan, Ludgo Parish (Söd.) 16 Oct. 1852, s. Anders Hagberg and Maria Catharina Ersdotter. He was m. in Ludgo to Brita Olsdotter (see No. 85) and emigr. to the U.S. in 1879. They settled in Fragrant Hill Township. - *1900 Federal Census*, Fragrant Hill Township.

82. Carl Gustaf Nelson was b. in Risinge Parish (Ög.) 13 Aug. 1835, s. Nils Birgersson and Anna Pehrson. He m. in Risinge 11 July 1868 Mathilda Olofsdotter, b. in Risinge 21 March 1847, dau. Olof Jonsson and Anna Lena Samuelson (see No. 83). They emigr. to the U.S. in 1869. Gustaf d. 27 Dec. 1908 and Mathilda 17 Jan. 1941. Gustaf was the brother of Samuel Nelson (see No. 63) and Olof Nelson (see No. 74). - *1900 Federal Census*, Fragrant Hill Township; Dickinson County Probate Court case No. 6334.

83. Olof Jonsson was b. in Risinge Parish 8 Nov. 1811 and m. in Risinge 5 Nov. 1837 Anna Lena Samuelson. She was b. in Hällestad Parish (Ög.) 12 Dec. 1812. The couple emigr. to the U.S. in the late 1870s to res. with their dau. Mathilda Olofsdotter Nelson (see No. 82).

84. Peter Olson was b. in Västra Vingåker Parish (Söd.) 16 Feb. 1840, s. Olof Andersson and Kerstin Olsdotter. He was m. in Stora Malm Parish (Söd.) 3 Sept. 1864 to Brita Olsdotter, who was b. in Malung Parish (Kopp.) 12 July 1842, dau. Olof Olsson and Brita Olsdotter (see No. 85). They emigr. to the U.S. in 1869 and settled in Fragrant Hill Township. Peter d. 24 Nov. 1884, Brita 27 March 1926. Both are bur. in Liberty Cemetery. Peter assumed the surname of Olander in Sweden and continued using it briefly in the U.S. but his family eventually reverted to the patronymic form of Olson. - *Abilene Weekly Reflector*, 5 April 1926; *Chapman Advertiser* 8 April 1926; *KK*, May 1889.

85. Brita Olsdotter was b. in Malung Parish (Kopp.) 28 May 1823, dau. Olof Olsson and Brita Halvardsdotter. She m. 10 July 1842 Olof Olsson, who subsequently d. in Malung 4 Dec. 1873.

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They were the parents of Brita Oldsdotter (see No. 84). After her husband's death Brita moved to Ludgo Parish (Söd.) where she m. the second time 19 Nov. 1876 Carl Hagberg (see No. 81), who was 29 years younger than she. They emigr. to the U.S. in 1879 and settled in Fragrant Hill Township. Brita d. 17 July 1905 and is bur. in Liberty Cemetery. - *KK*, May 1989.

86. The Flodine family lived only briefly in Fragrant Hill Township. In the early 1880s they moved to Junction City, Geary County, KS, where the parents d. within a few years. On 24 Jan. 1897 John, the s., d. in Junction City, unmarried. He was survived by a brother in Denver, CO and a sister in Fort Riley, KS. - *Junction City Union*, 29 Jan. 1897.

87. Malte Pehrsson Sanborn was b. in Önnestad Parish (Krist.) 28 March 1857, s. Pehr Pehrsson and Maria Sandberg. He was a nephew of Abraham Sandborn (see No. 8). He emigr. to the U.S. in 1880 and settled in Chapman, Noble Township, where he lived the rest of his life. He assumed the surname of Sanborn after settling in Chapman. He was m. twice and had altogether five children. He d. in Chapman 24 April 1918 and is bur. in Indian Hill Cemetery in Chapman. - *Chapman Advertiser*, 2 May 1918; *KK*, Feb. 1990.

88. Peter Forslund d. in Kansas City, KS 16 Nov. 1909, unmarried. Ellen Peterson claims that he was a cousin of John Olson (see No. 89), which might suggest that he came from Järbo Parish (Gävl.). - *EJ*, 18 Nov. 1909; *EP*, 23 and 30 Sept. 1937.

89. John Olson was b. in Botjäm, Järbo Parish (Gävl.) 11 Aug. 1844, s. Olof Pehrsson and Martha Jansdotter. Christina Oldsdotter was b. in Kungsberg, Järbo 19 July 1850, dau. Olof Olsson and Anna Andersdotter. John and Christina emigr. to the U.S. together in 1869 and were m. in Galva, IL after their arrival. They moved to Dickinson County in 1877. John d. in 1883 and Christina 23 May 1917. Both are bur. in BLC. - *EJ*, 31 May 1917; *EP*, 30 Sept. 1937.

90. Herman Leonard Winroth was b. in Sweden 25 Oct. 1836 and was m. in Dickinson County 22 Sept. 1883 to Christina C. Wilson. This family moved away before the 1900 Census. - *BLR*; Dickinson County Marriage Records.

91. Botvid Dahlberg was b. in Furingstad Parish (Ög.) 12 July 1823, s. Johan Nilsson and Brita Pehrdsdotter. Caroline Dahlberg was b. in Södertälje (according to her tombstone) 20 May 1831, but no record of her birth can be found in the Södertälje birth records. They settled in Dickinson County in the early 1870s. Caroline d. 23 Feb. 1888 and Botvid 9 June 1905. Both are bur. in BLC. - *BLR*; *EJ*, 16 June 1905; *Enterprise Herald*, 17 June 1905; *EP*, 9 Sept. 1937.

92. According to Ellen Peterson, Charles Dahlberg was the foster s. of Botvid and Caroline Dahlberg (see No. 91). He was b. 20 Jan. 1857 and was raised in Stockholm before emigr. to the U.S. in 1879. He m. in Dickinson County 18 May 1884 Brita, dau. of Jacob Ostrom (see No. 21). In 1895 the couple moved to Seattle, WA where Charles d. 9 March 1946. - Dickinson County Marriage Records; *EJ*, 21 March 1946; *EP*, 9 Sept. 1937; *KK*, May 1992.

93. John Charles Akeson (Åkesson) and Fredericka Ziebell were m. in Dickinson County 26 June 1870. - Dickinson County Marriage Records.

94. Charles Anderson was b. in Sweden 7 Jan. 1845 and emigr. to the U.S. at the age of nine. He settled in Iowa and served in the Civil War with Co. E of the Forty-fifth Iowa Infantry. After the war he moved to Shawnee County, KS where he m. 28 Feb. 1870 Mary Falen. The couple moved to Dickinson County in 1879. He d. in Hope Township 12 July 1910 and is bur. in Ashton Cemetery near Hope. - *Hope Dispatch*, 14 July 1910.

Dickinson County Map of 1880 Showing Townships

Flora	Cheever	Sherman	Fragrant Hill
Willowdale	Buckeye	Hayes	Noble • Chapman
Lincoln • Solomon	Grant • Abilene	Center • Enterprise	Liberty
Wheatland	Newbern	Logan	
	Jefferson	Ridge	Union
Holland	Banner	• Hope Hope	

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Authors' note: What follows is ostensibly the story of Karl A. Liljeberg and his immediate family. Admittedly, it is a very ordinary story about very ordinary people. But the reader is encouraged to look beyond the narrative per se and focus instead on its evolution. The importance of this story lies in such things as the basic chronology of discovery that is outlined, the role of chance in bypassing apparent dead ends in the research process that is revealed, the manner in which the father of an illegitimate child is tentatively identified, and the way in which the basic genealogical and family history information is synthesized into a completed whole.

The Mystery

In the March 1991 issue of *SAG*, one of us (JEE) alluded to a five-year-old boy, Karl A. Liljeberg, who was born in Hjulsjö Parish (Öre.) and left Göteborg, Sweden on 1 November 1886 aboard the steamship *Slavonia*.¹ He was traveling in the custody of Amanda Andersson (age 22), who hailed from the neighboring parish of Grythyttan (Öre.); and they, in turn, were accompanied by Amanda's sister Hilma (age 21), her brother Karl Adolf (age 19), and her first cousin Hulda M. Jonsson (age 18) from Tived Parish (Skar.).² These five individuals arrived in New York on 20 November 1886.³

The three Andersson siblings proceeded directly to Stambaugh, Iron Co., MI where they joined their parents—Anders Peter Andersson and Christina Elisabeth (Stina Lisa) Grönlund—and six younger brothers, all of whom had arrived in Stambaugh during the summer of 1886.⁴ Hulda M. Jonsson's final destination also proved to be Stambaugh.⁵ But the fate of Karl A. Liljeberg remained a mystery, as did knowledge of the familial relationship, if any, that existed between him and his traveling companions. As of early 1991, after a concerted research effort, we had reached an apparent dead end in our attempt to further elucidate the story of this individual. We resigned ourselves to the notion that the incidental information assembled on Karl A. Liljeberg would probably remain one of many loose ends in the Erickson family history.

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The Conjecture

In the fall of 1992, one of us (CEE) was hosting a dinner for several couples at Hagerman Lake, which is approximately ten miles from Stambaugh. At some point during the course of the evening, the conversation shifted to the topic of Swedish ancestry, and the story about the mysterious five-year-old boy was related by CEE. Thereupon, one of the dinner guests, Larry Fugate, offhandedly mentioned that his grandfather, Charles A. Greenlund, had also been five when he emigrated from Sweden.⁶ Later, while pondering this amazing coincidence, CEE made the necessary connections that led to the conjecture that these two five-year-old emigrants—Karl A. Liljeberg and Charles A. Greenlund—were one and the same person. Serendipity had suddenly infused new possibilities into our seemingly deadlocked research effort! Locating the requisite information, from both American and Swedish sources, to support this new hypothesis suddenly became a high priority. A logical starting point was to research the vital records pertaining to Charles A. Greenlund.

The Adult Immigrant—Carl (Charles) Axel Greenlund

On file in the Iron County Courthouse in Crystal Falls, MI is a Certificate of Marriage that records the marriage of Carl Axel Greenlund (age 23) to Phoebe Louisa Erickson (age 20), the daughter of Charles F. Erickson and Mathilda Anderson, on 25 June 1905 in Stambaugh, MI.⁷ On this document, the groom's parents are listed as Carl Axel Lilianberg [*sic*] and Mathilda Greenlund. Also on file is a Certificate of Death issued for Charles Axel Greenlund, age 76, who died on 9 February 1958.⁸ This record lists his occupation as iron ore mining, his birthplace as Sweden, his birthdate as 28 July 1881, his father's name (incorrectly) as John Greenlund, and his mother's maiden name as Unknown. He was buried in the Stambaugh City Cemetery on 12 February 1958. Charles A. Greenlund's obituary states that he was "born in Sweden on July 28, 1881 and came to the United States at the age of five..." It further notes that he worked as a diamond driller at the Hiawatha iron mine and was an Iron County resident for sixty-seven years. Charles was survived by twelve children, seven boys and five girls. His wife Phoebe preceded him in death on 13 June 1953.⁹

Armed with three crucial pieces of information attributed to Carl (Charles) Axel Greenlund from the aforementioned American sources—namely, his birthdate, his father's name and his mother's maiden name—we next turned our attention to Swedish sources. The fact that the two travelling companions described in the first paragraph of this paper, i.e. Amanda Andersson and Karl Axel Liljeberg, had mothers with the same surname had not escaped our attention. Working under the pre-

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mise that their surname—Grönlund (Greenlund)—was a major key to deciphering this puzzle, we researched Household Examination Rolls (*Husförhörlängden*), first from Hjulsjö Parish (the known birthplace of Amanda Andersson's mother, Stina Lisa Grönlund) and later from Grythyttan and Nora (Öre.) parishes. In them and the accompanying parish registers, we found the corroborating evidence to support the contention that Carl (Charles) A. Greenlund and Karl A. Liljeberg were indeed the same individual!

The Mother—Karolina Mathilda Grönlund The Son—Karl Axel Liljeberg

Karolina Mathilda Grönlund was born 6 October 1858 at Kvidberg, Hjulsjö Parish, the ninth of ten children born to Anders Olsson Grönlund (1810-1885), miner (*gruvarbetare*), and Stina Cajsa Ersdotter (1817-?). Thus, she was the younger sister of Christina Elisabeth (Stina Lisa) Grönlund, who was the wife of Anders Peter Andersson and the mother of Amanda, Hilma and Karl Adolf Andersson.¹⁰

On 2 November 1874, just after her sixteenth birthday, Karolina Mathilda left her parents' home (Kvidberg's *gruvstuga*)¹¹ and, during the next sixteen years, worked as a maid (*piga*) at nine different places in three parishes in Örebro County. The chronology of her whereabouts between 1874 and 1890 is summarized in Table 1. For purposes of this paper, the first watershed event in the life of this young woman occurred in the year 1881, at which time her official residence was at Björklund in Nora Parish.

Table 1. Karolina Mathilda Grönlund's residences from 1874-1890.

<u>Place</u>	<u>Parish</u>	<u>Arrived</u>	<u>Departed</u>
1. Pliggtorp	Hjulsjö	2 Nov. 1874	8 Nov. 1875
2. Skropsjöåsen	Hjulsjö	8 Nov. 1875	8 Nov. 1876
3. Nybergshult	Hjulsjö	8 Nov. 1876	19 Nov. 1877
4. Älvestorp Bruk	Grythyttan	19 Nov. 1877	30 Oct. 1878
5. Bastnäs	Nora	16 Nov. 1878	5 Nov. 1879
6. Bryggeriet	Nora	5 Nov. 1879	13 Nov. 1880
7. Björklund	Nora	13 Nov. 1880	21 Apr. 1883
8. Finnorp	Grythyttan	27 Apr. 1883	1883
9. Skomakarbron	Grythyttan	1883	10 Aug. 1890

Sources: Household Examination Rolls (*Husförhörlängder*) as follows: 1) AI:13a, p. 143, No. 4 and p. 161, No. 19 (FHL #424098); 2) AI:13a, p. 284, No. 23 (FHL #424098); 3) AI:13a, p. 242.

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No. 11 (FHL #424098); 4) AI:18b, p. 520, No. 18 (FHL #423952); 5) AI:17d, p. 492, No. 13 (Microfiche 18338 4/11 at the Landsarkivet in Uppsala); 6) AI:17a, p. 157, No. 17 (Microfiche 18335 4/9); 7) AI:17c, p. 168, No. 8.5 -9.5 and AI:18c, p. 190, No. 1-2 (Microfiche 18337 6/11 and 18341 6/12); 8) AI:19c, p. 1050, No. 4-6 (FHL #423955); and 9) AI:19d, p. 1139, No. 20-24 (FHL #423955).

While visiting (her parents?) in Hjulsjö Parish, Karolina Mathilda gave birth to a son on 28 July 1881. The child, who was given the name Karl Axel, was illegitimate (*öäkta*) and, accordingly, the name of the father was not recorded in the Hjulsjö birth record. Jan Erik Elg, a miner (*gruvarbetare*) from Finnafallet, and his wife were witnesses at the baptism, which took place on 5 August 1881.¹² A certificate of baptism (*dopattest*) was subsequently sent to the parish office in Nora, where the birth and baptism were also recorded.¹³

Karolina Mathilda and her infant son returned to Björklund and remained there until 21 April 1883, at which time they moved to nearby Grythyttan Parish (see Table 1). Here, at a place called Finntorp, they lived with Fredrick Svensson, a crofter (*torpare*), and his wife Katrina Andersdotter; and they would have certainly met the crofter's son Per Gustaf Fredricksson.¹⁴ Karolina Mathilda gave birth to her second illegitimate child, a son named Gustaf Viktor, at Finntorp on 24 Feb. 1884.¹⁵ Once again, the name of the father is not listed. Later that same year, Karolina Mathilda and her two young sons moved to Skomakarbron in Grythyttan Parish, where they lived with Per Gustaf Fredricksson, who arrived here from Brunnsjögruvan (Grythyttan Parish) in 1884.¹⁶

During the ensuing six years at Skomakarbron, six significant events took place in Karolina Mathilda's life. On 29 May 1885, she gave birth to her third illegitimate child, a daughter named Hilma Kristina.¹⁷ The following year her five-year-old son, known by the name Karl Axel Liljeberg, emigrated to North America. (Since we have established that Karolina Mathilda and Stina Lisa Grönlund were sisters, it is now clear that Karl's traveling companions—Amanda, Hilma, and Karl A. Andersson—were his first cousins.)¹⁸ On 9 December 1888, her four-year-old son Gustaf Viktor died;¹⁹ and, approximately five weeks later, Karolina Mathilda (while in Hjulsjö Parish) gave birth on 23 January 1889 to her fourth illegitimate child, a daughter named Selma Adina.²⁰ Her male companion, Per Gustaf Fredricksson, left Skomakarbron on 12 July 1889 and moved to Svartnäs (Älvestorp Bruk, Grythyttan Parish), where he became a worker (*arbetare*) for Anders Gustaf Jansson Asp, a crofter (*torpare*). On 10 November 1889, Per Gustaf married the crofter's daughter, Selma Mathilda Asp.²¹ Karolina Mathilda Grönlund and her two daughters (ages 4 and 1) departed Skomakarbron for North

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America on 22 August 1890. Their destination was Stambaugh, Iron Co., MI.²²

The Stambaugh, Michigan Years

Very little is known about Karolina Mathilda's life in the Stambaugh area. That she and her son Karl Axel Liljeberg (alias Charles A. Greenlund) had a falling-out can be inferred from two pieces of family oral history. Firstly, after he arrived from Sweden in 1886, Charles lived with and was raised by his uncle (*morbror*) Jan Erik Grönlund (John E. "Fishpeddler" Greenlund) in Bates, Iron Co., MI.²³ Charles continued to live in the John Greenlund household even after his mother arrived in Stambaugh four years later (at which time Charles would have been only nine years old!). Secondly, Charles apparently never told his twelve children that his mother and half sisters (i.e. their grandmother and aunts) had emigrated to the area, had lived in Stambaugh Township, and were buried in the Stambaugh City Cemetery.²⁴

In spite of the fact that she and her son were apparently at variance with each other, Karolina Mathilda did get on with her life in America. She presumably married (date unknown) but may have just had a common-law marriage with an Irish immigrant named Thomas O'Malia.²⁵ They resided in the settlement called Palatka (the original location for the city of Caspian, which adjoins Stambaugh's southern border) in Stambaugh Township. A daughter, named Hannah, was born to Karolina Mathilda and Thomas O'Malia in Palatka on 20 March 1892.²⁶ Karolina Mathilda died in Stambaugh Township on 7 June 1906. She was only forty-seven years old! Thomas died in Stambaugh Township on 29 Mar. 1916. They were both buried in the Stambaugh City Cemetery.²⁷

The fate of Karolina Mathilda's daughters has also been partially delineated. Her oldest daughter, Hilma Kristina, used the surname Anderson, not Greenlund, and listed her father's name as John Anderson. She married a cook, Fred F. Le Clair (the son of Joseph Le Clair and Maryann O'Keefe), from Shana Golden, WI, in Iron River, MI on 9 November 1911. They later moved to Milwaukee, WI. Hilma died in 1920 and was buried in Stambaugh City Cemetery. Fred was presumably buried in Milwaukee.²⁸

Karolina Mathilda's next oldest daughter, Selma Adina, went by the name Nellie O'Malia. On 12 September 1912 in Iron River, MI she married Leonard William Champion, a laborer, who was born 20 September 1892 in Michigan to William H. Champion and Louisa May. Leonard and Nellie also lived in Milwaukee, where they died on 29 March 1947 and 12 January 1938, respectively. Both of them were buried in the Stambaugh City Cemetery. They were survived by four sons—Thomas, Eldred, James and Henry.²⁹

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Hannah O'Malia, Karolina Mathilda's American-born daughter, married Edward R. Hawke, a miner, in Iron River, MI on 21 September 1912. Her wedding took place just 9 days after her half sister Selma's wedding! Edward (b. 16 August 1888 in Vulcan, Dickinson Co., MI) was the son of a miner, Alfred Hawke (b. 18 October 1852, England; d. 12 August 1933, Caspian, MI), and Lydia Peer (1856-1925) of Palatka. Hannah died in 1920 and was buried in the Stambaugh City Cemetery. Edward died in Gaastra, Iron Co., MI on 15 December 1945 and was also buried in the Stambaugh City Cemetery. He was survived by a son Robert and three daughters—Mrs. Elroy Levernois, Mrs. Stanley Levander, and Mrs. Ray Gonzalez.³⁰

The Father—Gustaf Axel Liljeberg (?)

When a child is born out of wedlock and the father's name is not listed on official birth documents, it is often difficult (if not impossible) to conclusively decipher the child's paternity. In Karl Axel Liljeberg's case, only two clues to his father's identity were uncovered. First, Karl Axel went by the surname Liljeberg, the only one of Karolina Mathilda's children to be given that name. Secondly, he listed his father's name as Carl Axel Lilianberg [*sic*] on his marriage license (see Note No. 7 below). What can reasonably be deduced from this rather scant information?

Since Karl Axel was born on 28 July 1881, his mother undoubtedly became pregnant in late October or November of 1880. During this particular time, Karolina Mathilda was completing her work as a maid at Bryggeriet (Nora Parish) and moving to assume a similar position at Björklund, also in Nora Parish (see Table 1). Coincidentally, a young farm hand (*dräng*) named Gustaf Axel Liljeberg was living and working at Björklund at this time.³¹ Could he be the father in question?

Gustaf Axel Liljeberg was the last of eight children born to Johan Liljeberg, blacksmith (*smed*), and his wife Margreta Carlsdotter. Johan was born 4 October 1810 in Lindesberg Country Parish, whereas Margreta was born 13 January 1815 in Nora Parish. They were married 30 October 1836 and lived at Lilla Mon, Södra Fingerboda, Nora Parish, where the following children were born: Anna Cathrina, b. 2 March 1838; Maria Lovisa, b. 13 March 1840; Carl, b. 9 September 1842; Pehr Johan, b. 21 December 1844; Margreta Christina (Greta Stina), b. 14 April 1848; Lars Erik, b. 23 August 1851; August, b. 24 August 1854; and Gustaf Axel, b. 22 November 1858. Johan Liljeberg died at Lilla Mon on 1 April 1861, and Gustaf Axel remained with his mother and siblings until 1874, at which time he moved to Alntorp, No. 2 (Nora Parish) to work as a farm

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hand. In 1877, at the age of 19, he moved to Björklund, where he worked as a farm hand for four years.³²

Thus far, we have been able to draw several conclusions from information contained in the Swedish records that we have researched. An individual with the name Carl Axel Liljeberg, the presumed name of Karl Axel's father, was not found! The only males with the surname Liljeberg in all of Nora Parish were Johan Liljeberg and his sons Carl, Pehr Johan, Lars Erik, August and Gustaf Axel.³³ Because of his first name, Johan's oldest son Carl would appear to be a logical choice for the father; but he was sixteen years older than Karolina Mathilda and he emigrated to North America on 6 July 1869.³⁴ Thus his qualifications for fatherhood are superficial and he can be ruled out. Johan's youngest son Gustaf Axel, on the other hand, appears to be a very plausible candidate. Except for the fact that his Christian name, Gustaf Axel, doesn't quite jibe with the expected name, Carl Axel, all other aspects of his "candidacy" seem to fit rather well.³⁵ Gustaf Axel and Karolina Mathilda were both born in 1858, just 5 weeks apart; and, thus, were the same age. They both lived in the same place at the correct time (i. e. Björklund in November of 1880) which, at the very least, indicates that they had the opportunity to become romantically involved. Within four months of Karl Axel's birth, Gustaf Axel had left Björklund for a different parish—Stora Mellösa (Öre).³⁶ The above evidence, while admittedly circumstantial, has led us to infer that Gustaf Axel Liljeberg is the most likely father of Karl Axel Liljeberg.

The Telltale Photograph

As this research project was nearing its completion, CEE was looking through a box of photographs that had belonged to the following succession of family members: Hilma Andersson Midtlyng (1865-1942), Jennie Olivia Midtlyng Erickson (1891-1977), and John Irving Erickson (1914-1992), who are CEE's grandmother, mother and brother, respectively. (Hilma, you will recall, was one of the three Andersson siblings who accompanied Karl Axel Liljeberg to the United States). Among them, CEE found a 6" x 8" studio photograph (taken by Olaf Hanson, Iron River, MI) showing a very simple funeral memorial. A large, silver plaque engraved with the words "*At Rest*" had been placed in the center of a table draped with a black cloth; and surrounding the plaque were various floral arrangements. Placed within a wreath on top of the plaque was the photograph of a middle-aged woman. The identity of the deceased woman being memorialized is revealed on the back of the photograph, where the following words were written:

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Mrs. Thos. O'Malia
Born October 3, 1858
Died June 7, 1906
Age 47 years, 8 months, 4 days

It is ironic that vital information on the critical link between our family and Karl Axel Liljeberg—his mother, Karolina Mathilda Grönlund O'Malia—had been in the family the entire time. The take-home lesson for all individuals who do family history research is simply this—keep searching. You really don't know from what source that next lead may be coming!

Notes

¹James E. Erickson, "The Hjulsjö (Öre.) to Stambaugh, MI Migration Axis," *Swedish American Genealogist*, Vol. XI, No. 1 (March 1991), pp. 1-33. See Table B, No. 11, p. 27 and Notes to Table B, No. 10-11, p. 28 for specific references to Karl A. Liljeberg.

²Amanda Andersson and Karl A. Liljeberg traveled together under Contract No. 1678. Hilma Andersson had No. 1679; Karl A. Andersson had No. 1680; and Hulda M. Jonsson had No. 1683. Police Department Emigration Registrations, Göteborg (*Göteborgs Poliskammars Emigrantlistor*), E IX 30, 1 November 1886. Family History Library (FHL), Salt Lake City, UT Microfilm #216597. See also the 1886 Emigrant List from Grythyttan Parish transliterated in Note 4 below.

Hulda M. Jonsson was the dau. of Jon Eric Jonsson and Christina Elisabeth (Stina Lisa) Andersson who, in turn, was the dau. of Anders Larsson and Maria Persdotter of Västra Perstorp, Askersund Landsförsamling Parish (Öre.) and the sister of Amanda's (and Hilma's and Karl's) father, Anders Peter Andersson. Household Examination Rolls (*Husförhörslängder*), Askersund Landsförsamling Parish, AI:6a, p. 44; AI:7a, p. 45; AI:8a, p. 45; AI:9a, p. 45 and AI:10a, p. 45. FHL #149087, #149088 and #149089.

³Anna [sic] Andersson (No. 202), Karl Liljeberg (No. 203), Hilma Andersson (No. 204), Karl Andersson (No. 205), and Hulda Jonsson (No. 208) arrived in New York aboard the steamship *Stavonia* (German) on 20 November 1886. New York Passenger Lists, November-December 1886, No. 1413. FHL #1027369.

⁴Anders Peter Andersson, his wife Stina Lisa Grönlund, and their six youngest children left Finnhyttan Kvarn, Grythyttan Parish for North America on 8 May 1886. Household Examination Roll (*Husförhörslängd*), Grythyttan Parish, AI:19c, p. 1034. FHL #423955.

In the Extracts from Parish Registers (*Utdrag ur ministerialböcker*), Emigrant Lists (*Emigrantlistor*), Örebro County, Grythyttan Parish, 1886 (FHL #83189) the following individuals are listed on three separate pages:

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<u>Name</u>	<u>Occupation</u>	<u>Birth</u>
Anders Peter Andersson	Miller (<i>mjöltnare</i>)	1833
Stina Lisa Grönlund		1844
dau. Hilma		1865
son Emil Fritiof		1869
son Gustaf Oscar		1873
son Richard Ivan		1875
son Axel Engelbert		1876
son August Rudolf		1881
son David		1885
 Karl Adolf Andersson	 Farm hand (<i>dräng</i>)	 1867
Amanda Andersson	Maid (<i>piga</i>)	1864
 Karl Axel Liljeberg	 Child (<i>barn</i>)	 1881

On 14 May 1886 the Andersson family boarded the steamship *Orlando* (Contract No. 442) bound for Hull, England. Their final destination was listed as Stambaugh, Marquette (now Iron) Co., MI. Police Department Emigration Registrations, Göteborg (*Göteborgs Poliskammarers Emigrantlistor*), E IX 29, 14 May 1886. FHL #216597.

The Andersson family left the port of Glasgow, Scotland on 21 May 1886 aboard the steamship *State of Indiana* (British) and arrived in New York 3 June 1886. New York Passenger Lists, May-June 1886, No. 637. FHL #1027363.

⁵On 16 June 1888 in Florence, Florence Co., WI, Hulda M. Jonsson married Emil Carlson (b. 20 November 1861, near Stockholm, Sweden; emigr. 1881; d. 6 June 1926; bur. Iron River City Cemetery). Hulda moved to California, where she died 13 March 1946. She was bur. Forest Lawn Cemetery, Glendale, Los Angeles Co., CA. The Carlsons had twelve children. Marcia Bernhardt, Ed., *Frames for the Future, Iron River Area, Iron County, Michigan* (Caspian, MI 1981), pp. 383-385.

⁶Larry Fugate's mother, Joyce (Mrs. Oliver James Fugate), is the dau. of Charles A. Greenlund.

⁷Certificate of Marriage of Carl Axel Greenlund and Phoebe Louisa Erickson, No. 44, 25 June 1905, Stambaugh, Iron Co., MI. Iron County Courthouse, Crystal Falls, MI.

⁸Certificate of Death of Charles Axel Greenlund, Local File No. 4, 9 Feb. 1958, Stambaugh, Iron Co., MI. Iron County Courthouse, Crystal Falls, MI.

⁹"Chas. Greenlund Father of Twelve Dies Yesterday," *Iron River Reporter*, 10 Feb. 1958. His children included seven sons (Hubert, Melvin, Clifford, John, Norman, Robert and James) and five daughters (Sylvia, Mrs. Frank Salmela; Thelma, Mrs. Everett Baumgartner; Bernice, Mrs. Clifton Owen; Phyllis, Mrs. Reginald Bray; and Joyce, Mrs. Oliver James Fugate).

¹⁰Birth and Christening Record (*Födelse- och Doplängd*), Hjulsjö Parish, C:4, No. 77, 6 Oct. 1858. FHL #149416. Household Examination Rolls (*Husförhörslängder*), Hjulsjö Parish: AI:8, pp. 253, 243; AI:9, p. 303; AI:10, pp. 13, 58; AI:11a, p. 84; AI:12a, p. 62; AI:13a, pp. 143, 259; AI:14a, p. 262; AI:15a, p. 260; AI:16a, pp. 265, 287. FHL #149414, #149415, #424096, #424097, #424098, #424099, #424100, and #424101. Also see Note 4 above.

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¹¹Household Examination Roll (*Husförhörslängd*), Hjulsjö Parish, AI:13a, p. 143, No. 4. *FHL* #424098.

¹²Birth and Christening Book (*Födelse- och Dop-Bok*), Hjulsjö församling, 1876-1894, p. 63, 28 July 1881. Hällefors-Hjulsjö Pastorsexpedition, Klockarvägen 10, Hällefors (Öre.).

¹³Birth and Christening Record (*SCB, Födda*), Nora Lands(bergs)församling, 1878-1881, No. 138, 28 July 1881. Microfiche at the Provincial Archive (Landsarkivet) in Uppsala.

¹⁴Per Gustaf Fredricksson is listed at Finntorp with his parents at the beginning of 1881. He then moved and worked as a farm hand (*dräng*) at Västgötetorp (Grythyttan) during 1881-82. From this place he left for North America on 1 May 1882, only to return to Finntorp on 16 November 1882. During the period 1883-1884, Per Gustaf worked as a miner (*gruvarbetare*) at Brunnsjögruvan (Grythyttan). Household Examination Roll (*Husförhörslängd*), Grythyttan Parish, AI:19c, p. 1050, No. 3; p. 1045, No. 22; and p. 1032, No. 3. *FHL* #423955.

¹⁵Birth and Christening Record (*SCB, Födda*), Grythyttan församling, 1883-1886, No. 28, 24 February 1884. Microfiche at the Provincial Archive (Landsarkivet) in Uppsala.

¹⁶Household Examination Roll (*Husförhörslängd*), Grythyttan Parish, AI:19c, p. 1032; AI:19d, p. 1139. *FHL* #423955.

¹⁷Birth and Christening Record (*SCB, Födda*), Grythyttan församling, 1883-1886, No. 81, 29 May 1885. Microfiche at the Provincial Archive (Landsarkivet) in Uppsala.

¹⁸See Notes 1-4 above.

¹⁹Death and Burial Record (*SCB, Döda*), Grythyttan församling, 1886-1893, No. 67, 9 December 1888. Microfiche at the Provincial Archive (Landsarkivet) in Uppsala..

²⁰Birth and Christening Book (*Födelse- och Dop-Bok*), Hjulsjö församling, 1876-1894, p. 188, 23 January 1889. Hällefors-Hjulsjö Pastorsexpedition, Klockarvägen 10, Hällefors.

²¹Household Examination Roll (*Husförhörslängd*), Grythyttan Parish, AI:19c, p. 897, No. 11-12. *FHL* #423955.

²²Household Examination Roll (*Husförhörslängd*), Grythyttan Parish, AI:19d, p. 1139, No. 20-24. *FHL* #423955.

The Index to Emigration Lists, Police Records of Göteborg (*Poliskammaren Personregister Emigranter*), 1890, S1466, 16/17, p. 67 lists the following: Grönlund, Karolina Matilda, age 32, from Grythyttan, Öre., 22 Aug. 1890, 43:123:310; Hilma Grönlund, age 4; and Selma Grönlund, age 1. Microfiche at the American Swedish Institute Archives, Minneapolis, MN.

²³Melvin Greenlund, son of Charles A. Greenlund, personal communication, April 1993. For specific references to Jan Erik Grönlund (John E. Greenlund) see Table B, No. 5, p. 27 and Notes to Table B, No. 5-7, p. 28 in James E. Erickson, "The Hjulsjö (Öre.) to Stambaugh, MI Migration Axis," *Swedish American Genealogist*, Vol. XI, No. 1 (March 1991), pp. 1-33.

Karl A. Liljeberg alias Charles A. Greenlund

²⁴ Melvin Greenlund, son of Charles A. Greenlund, personal communication, April 1993.

²⁵ No Certificate of Marriage for Thomas O'Malia and Karolina Mathilda Grönlund was located in the Iron County Courthouse, Crystal Falls, MI.

²⁶ Certificate of Birth of Hannah O'Malia, 20 March 1892. Iron County Courthouse, Crystal Falls, MI. This birth record lists the mother as Hannah O'Malia and the father as F. T. O'Malia. This suggests two possibilities. Either Thomas had been married previously to a woman named Hannah, in which case Karolina Mathilda would not be the mother of this child; or, a mistake was made during the recording of names and the mother's name should read Karolina Mathilda, not Hannah.

²⁷ Certificate of Death of Mathilda O'Malia, p. 122, No. 532, 7 June 1906. Iron County Courthouse, Crystal Falls, MI. This document lists her birth date as 3[sic] Oct. 1858, her father as John [sic] Greenlund, and her mother as Christina Greenlund.

Certificate of Death of Thomas O'Malia, p. 164, 29 March 1916. Iron County Courthouse, Crystal Falls, MI. The only other information given is his place of birth as Ireland ca. 1848.

Stambaugh City Cemetery Book, Stambaugh City Hall, Iron Co., MI. The following information is recorded for Mathilda O'Malia: age 47; res. Stambaugh Twp.; died 7 June 1906 in Stambaugh Twp. from fatty degeneration of heart; undertaker W. H. Windsor. The following information is recorded for Thomas O'Malia: age 68; died 29 March 1916 from cirrhosis of liver.

A tombstone in Stambaugh City Cemetery, Iron Co., MI contains the following: Matilda / wife of Thomas O'Malia / Born Oct. 3 [sic], 1858 / Died June 7, 1906 / O'MALIA.

²⁸ Certificate of Marriage of Fred F. Le Clair and Hilma Anderson Thomas, No. 135, 9 November 1911, Iron River, Iron Co., MI. Iron County Courthouse, Crystal Falls, MI. This record indicates that Hilma was previously married to a man with the surname Thomas. The place of this marriage and the fate of her first husband remain unknown. No record of Hilma's first marriage was found in the Iron County Courthouse, Crystal Falls, MI.

Cemetery Deed for Lot 126, Block 3, Stambaugh City Cemetery Book, Stambaugh City Hall, Iron Co., MI.

²⁹ Certificate of Marriage of Leonard W. Champion and Nellie O'Malia, No. 92, 12 September 1912, Iron River, Iron Co., MI. Iron County Courthouse, Crystal Falls, MI.

Cemetery Deed for Lot 126, Block 3, Stambaugh City Cemetery Book, Stambaugh City Hall, Iron Co., MI.

"Leonard Champion Funeral Services Conducted Here," *Iron River Reporter*, March 1947; Obituary for Nellie O'Malia (Mrs. Leonard Champion), *Iron River Reporter*, January 1938.

³⁰ Certificate of Marriage of Edward Hawke and Hannah O'Malia, No. 98, 21 September 1912, Iron River, Iron Co., MI. Iron County Courthouse, Crystal Falls, MI.

Cemetery Deed for Lot 116, Block 3 and Lot 127, Block 3, Stambaugh City Cemetery Book, Stambaugh City Hall, Iron Co., MI.

"Services For Edward Hawke Saturday," *Iron River Reporter*, December 1945; "Alfred Hawke, 80, Passes At Caspian Home," *Iron River Reporter*, August 1933; "Pioneer Resident [Lydia Peer Hawke] of Upper Peninsula Dies at Home in Caspian After Long Illness," *Iron River Reporter*, 18 August 1925.

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³¹Gustaf Axel Liljeberg arrived at Björklund from Aintorp (Egarens) in 1877, and he remained here for four years. Household Examination Roll (*Husförhörslängd*), Nora Stads- och Bergsförsamling, AI:17c, p. 177, No. 1; p. 168, No. 20. *FHL* #424091.

³²Household Examination Rolls (*Husförhörslängder*), Nora Stads- och Bergsförsamling, AI:15d, p. 148, No. 16-26; AI:16d, p. 250, No. 1-10; AI:17c, p. 230, No. 8; p. 177, No. 1; and p. 168, No. 20. *FHL* #202884, #424088, and #424091.

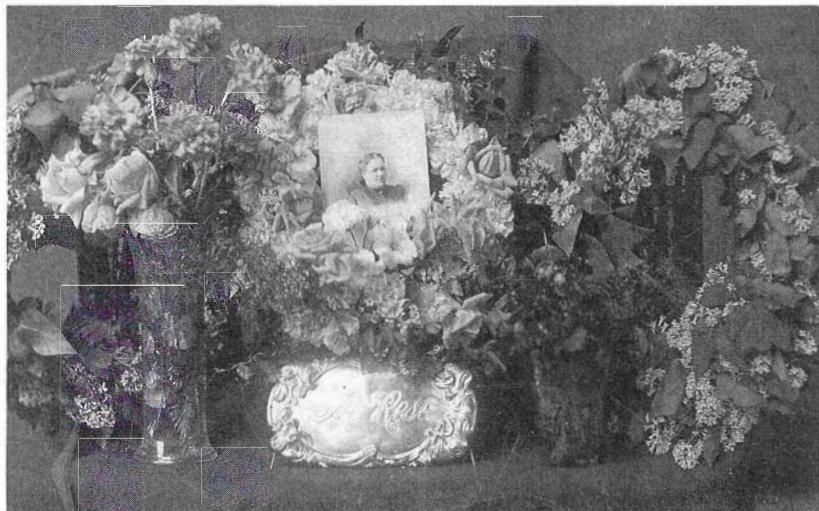
Birth and Christening Record (*Födelse- och Dopplängd*), Nora Stads- och Bergsförsamling, C:10b, 1857-1860, p. 110, No. 308, 22 November 1858. *FHL* #202886

³³No additional Liljebergs are listed in the indexes preceding the following Household Examination Rolls (*Husförhörslängder*), Nora Stads- och Bergsförsamling, 1872-1881: AI:17a (*Stadens bok*); AI:17b (*Norra boken*); and AI:17c (*Östra boken*), *FHL* # 424089, #424090 and 424091.

³⁴Household Examination Roll (*Husförhörslängd*), Nora Stads- och Bergsförsamling, AI:16d, p. 250, No. 5 and p. 260, No. 12. *FHL* #424088.

³⁵It should be noted here that Karl Axel Liljeberg, alias Charles A. Greenlund, left Nora Parish before he was two years old and left Sweden for the U. S. when he was only five. How likely is it that he ever saw, much less knew, his biological father? Would he have correctly remembered his father's name even if it had been told to him at that tender age? If one couples those thoughts with the knowledge that he was not on speaking terms with his mother after their arrival in the U. S., it is not at all unreasonable to speculate that he may have mistakenly given his father's name as Carl Axel.

³⁶Gustaf Axel moved to Stora Mellösa Parish (Öre.) on 14 November 1881. Household Examination Roll (*Husförhörslängd*), Nora Stads- och Bergsförsamling, AI:17c, p. 168, No. 20. *FHL* #424091.



A funeral memorial in honor of Mrs. Thomas O'Malia dated 1906 (see pp. 41-42).

Swedish Deaths in New York City 1820-1849

Nils William Olsson

New York City Archives possesses microfilms of death records of those who died in New York City from 1795 to 1865. The information contained on these microfilms is quite valuable to the genealogist in that such vital information as the name of the deceased, his country of nativity, residence in New York City, date of death, age and cemetery where he or she was buried are listed. Though the cause of death is also given, this important information has been blacked out, for some unknown reason. That it should be based on the right of privacy is difficult to comprehend since the deaths occurred 150-175 years ago. In a few cases the black tape covering the cause of death column was exposed, showing the cause of death. As a sample of what may be found on these microfilms I have excerpted a number of deaths, taking as a sample those who died between 1820 and 1849. Unfortunately the names have been Anglicized to such an extent that they are not recognizable as being Swedish. This may be due to the fact that most of the deaths were those of Swedish sailors, who on signing aboard a foreign vessel, often chose to hide their nationality and real identity behind an Anglo-Saxon name. The information given for each person is given as found on the microfilms except that since all were natives of Sweden, this fact has not been included.

Name	Date of Death	Place of Death	Age	Cemetery
John Anderson	1 Jan.1821	Hospital	26	Potter's Field
Peter Abraham	20 Feb.1821	Bancker St.	55	St. Patrick's
Charles Kreeland	1 Nov.1822	Hospital	41	Potter's Field
John Neilson	10 Sept.1821	Hospital	25	Potter's Field
Jas. Nancousen	17 July 1824	Kip's Bay	8 months	Potter's Field
John Peterson	11 Sept.1820	Henry St.	40	Trinity*
John Shelley	28 Dec.1823	Hospital	26	Potter's Field
John Thompson	1 Sept.1821	Hospital	42	Potter's Field
John Taylor	30 Sept.1823	Hospital	29	Potter's Field
Charles G.Bolien	25 July 1822	Water St.	41	Trinity
Johannes Johnson	25 Oct.1825	Found on Water St.	23	Potter's Field

*Died from falling from the mast of a vessel.

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John Berkstrom	20 Aug.1824	Hospital	26	Potter's Field
Samuel Benon	12 Feb.1825	Almshouse	44	Potter's Field
John Fink	17 March 1825	Foot of Roosevelt St.	55	Potter's Field
John Fuller	18 May 1825	Front St.	40	St.Patrick's
Matthias Hageman	21 April 1825	Hospital	56	Potter's Field
Lewis Murray	3 Dec.1825	Hospital	48	Trinity
Francis Cord	14 March 1826	Hospital	24	Potter's Field
John Smith	20 Sept.1824	Hospital	33	Potter's Field
Adolph O. Sondine	25 Sept.1826	Hospital	45	Methodist, Allen St.*
Nicholas Anderson	12 Aug.1828	Hospital	30	Potter's Field
Nicholas Boniface	25 Dec.1827	Orange St.	40	Methodist Society
Jacob Green	15 Oct.1827	Cherry St	42	Presbyterian,Rutgers St.
Charles Hill	19 Feb.1828	Hospital	40	Potter's Field
Charles Harrington	1 April 1828	Foot of Carlisle St.	30	Potter's Field
John Lugren	3 March 1827	Hospital	24	Potter's Field
Peter Ledoll	27 June 1827	Almshouse	31	Potter's Field
Jonas Luffgren	8 Feb.1829	Hospital	58	Potter's Field
Jacob Carleton	27 July 1828	Front St.	42	Presbyterian,Rutgers St.
Andrew Pattison	7 Jan.1829	Hospital	47	Potter's Field
Charles Richmond	14 July 1827	Hospital	37	Potter's Field
John Satterburgh ¹	1 Feb.1829	Almshouse	55	Potter's Field
John Abraham	5 Oct.1829	Cherry St.	32	Rutgers St.
Andrew Peterson	13 May 1829	Hospital	35	Potter's Field
Peter Thompson	21 July 1829	Hospital	40	Methodist Episcopal
John Anderson	20 Dec.1829	Forsyth St.	48	Rutgers St
John Barry	1 Sept.1831	Almshouse	65	Potter's Field
John Gate	31 Dec.1829	Hospital	39	Potter's Field
Peter Hanson	21 Oct.1829	Hospital	32	Potter's Field
John G. Hendnock	9 Sept.1830	Foot of Rector St.	25	Potter's Field
Edward Hedlund	10 Sept.1831	Water St.	21	German Lutheran**
Robert Norton	30 Nov.1830	Hospital	35	Potter's Field
James Anderson	27 July 1832	Carlean Hook Heights	32	Potter's Field***
John Barry	21 Jan.1832	Almshouse	65	Potter's Field
Alexander Berryman	23 Jan.1832	Hospital	60	Trinity
Andrew Barney	17 Sept.1832	Hospital	27	Potter's Field
Peter Cook	13 Nov.1832	Hospital	21	Associate Presbyterian
Peter Green	11 April 1833	Hospital	24	Associate Presbyterian
Joseph Jenkins	10 Feb.1832	Water St.	24	Rutgers St.
John Johnson	30 July 1832	Hospital	43	Potter's Field
Oliver Lawson	7 Aug.1832	Water St.	31	German Lutheran

*Died by cutting his throat.

**Died by falling from the top of the mast.

***Born in Göteborg.

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Albert Peterson	11 Feb. 1832	Hospital	25	Potter's Field
Charles Roden	27 July 1832	Park Hospital	60	Potter's Field
Peter Seoyne	6 Feb. 1832	Front St.	56	Middle Dutch
William Stone	20 March 1832	Water St.	38	Rutgers St.
Neil Spell	12 July 1832	Almshouse	42	Potter's Field
Peter Brown	7 Aug. 1834	Hospital	19	Potter's Field
John Coleman	27 Aug. 1834	286 Greenwich St.	45	Potter's Field
Henry Gahn ²	4 Aug. 1834	227 Hudson St.	64	St. Mark's
Charles G. Kosel ³	26 April 1834	Almshouse	21	Potter's Field
Charles Nichols	1 June 1834	Cherry St.	30	Trinity
Bror K. Norgtron	16 Sept. 1834	Quane St. Hospital	19	Potter's Field*
Alfred Nab	10 Nov. 1834	Hospital	16	Potter's Field
John Peterson	25 March 1835	19 Coenties Slip	50	Potter's Field**
John Rickman	23 June 1834	205 Front St.	32	Potter's Field
Louis Peter Rabe	21 Nov. 1835	Bellevue Hospital	32	Potter's Field
James Stimson	24 March 1834	Oak St.	27	Rutgers St.
Andrew Wilson	27 Feb. 1834	Hospital	48	Bethel Baptist
Peter Barry	4 April 1837	Hospital	36	Potter's Field
Peter W. Rosebecke	15 July 1836	Ship <i>Oscar</i>	32	Potter's Field
Charles Wilson	26 Oct. 1836	Hospital	23	Potter's Field
John Wilson	28 Oct. 1836	Hospital	27	Potter's Field
Laurence Brown	4 Aug. 1837	Hospital	33	Potter's Field
John Brown	8 Dec. 1838	335 Water St.	29	Potter's Field
Peter Lunn	14 June 1837	Hospital	24	Potter's Field
Henry Doyle	19 April 1836	Hospital	35	Potter's Field
Peter Peterson	12 Nov. 1836	Hospital	25	Potter's Field
John West	26 July 1836	Hospital	28	St. Patrick's
Nicholas Copeland	25 Feb. 1838	3 Catherine Slip	34	Potter's Field
Gabriel Edman ⁴	6 Sept. 1837	51 Glouston St.	67	Rutgers St.
Alexander Ruth	2 Jan. 1839	178 Fulton St.	40	German Lutheran***
Charles Anderson	29 Oct. 1839	Hospital	21	Potter's Field
John Armstrong	20 Nov. 1839	100 Varick	42	Potter's Field
John Beckman	21 Jan. 1840	A.H. Belle	61	Potter's Field
Magnus Carlgren ⁵	30 April 1839	Hospital	38	German Lutheran
William Harris	19 Sept. 1839	City Prison	35	Potter's Field
William Lucrane	25 March 1839	A.W. Belle	73	Potter's Field
Fredrick Nelson	19 Oct. 1839	Hospital	35	Potter's Field
Samuel Truck	1 Oct. 1840	Hospital	64	Forsythe Methodist Episcopal
Charles Tranchell ⁶	9 Sept. 1841	393 Broome	38	German Lutheran
John Thompson	24 June 1837	Hospital	24	2nd Ave. Presbyterian
William Clarke	15 May 1839	88 James	32	Protestant

*Died of cholera.

**Died falling off the yard arm.

***Died from a fall.

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Salomon Elson	24 Dec.1842	Hospital	45	Rutgers St.
Aseek Hittengrest	4 April 1842	Pier 3,North River	22	Methodist Society
August Krook	14 June 1842	326 Madison	45	Oliver St. Baptist
Carl Edward Lowengelm ⁷	12 Aug.1843	9 Albany	1 yr.,4 mos	Potter's Field
Henry Lockwood	16 Aug.1843	Hospital	31	Remanded to Long Island
Catherine Mathews	11 June 1842	121 Sheriff St.	21	St.Patrick's
Charles P.Orsborn	25 Oct.1843	9 West St.	36	German Lutheran
William Sunden	18 May 1843	Hospital	38	Potter's Field
Augustus Anderson	19 April 1845	Hospital	28	Randall's Island
John Albert Brodell ⁸	28 Dec.1844	100 Third Ave.	36	Brick
Alexander Elgrim	20 Nov.1843	96 Allen St.	50	Remanded to Orange Co.
Victor Furan	11 March 1845	Hospital	35	Randall's Island
Peter A.Johnson	21 July 1845	42 Broad St.	42	St.Patrick's
David Bæhr	25 May 1844	54 Sixth Ave.	77	United German Lutheran, Carmine St.*
Isaac H.Martin	27 Sept.1843	Hospital	50	Potter's Field
John P.Day	5 Jan.1843	98 Pitt St.	32	Methodist Episcopal
Jacob Maginson	5 Feb.1844	Blackwell's Island	23	Methodist Episcopal**
C.B.Carlstedt	29 April 1846	Foot of Rector St.	26	West Presbyterian, Carmine St.
Peter Johnson	14 Jan.1846	81 Market Slip	44	Removed from the city
Peter Johnson	29 Sept.1846	Hospital	30	Potter's Field
John Lin	15 May 1846	Hospital	56	Potter's Field
Nicholas Nelson	16 April 1847	5 Birmingham St.	62 yrs.,7 mos.	North Dutch
E.Rosengren (male)	15 Feb.1846	----	29	West Presbyterian, Carmine St.
Isaac Swanson	14 Aug.1847	458 Greenwich St.	3 yrs.,6 mos.	Potter's Field
John Roslin	22 April 1847	25 No.Moore St.	28	German Lutheran
Emanuel Peterson	20 May 1846	319 Water St.	36	Removed from the city
Martha Magnusdata	2 March 1847	Lunatic Asylum	17	Potter's Field
John Lawson	20 April 1847	55 Cherry St.	36	North German Lutheran
Charles Fredericks	7 Aug.1846	Hospital	26	Potter's Field
E.G.Doughan	15 Feb.1846	----	46	Carmine St.
John Wicke	6 Dec.1845	492 Greenwich St.	40	St.Patrick's
Thomy Zachrisson ⁹	28 Jan.1846	65 Broadway	35	New York City
Lewis Zervis	6 Oct.1846	33 Monroe St.	25	Potter's Field
John Augustus	6 Nov.1848	Hospital	33	Potter's Field
Charles Brown	21 Aug.1848	Hospital	33	Potter's Field
Helena Christian	21 Oct.1847	19 West St.	26	German Lutheran
Eolver H.Dohly	15 April 1849	482 Cherry St	33	German Lutheran
Christina Fors	11 Dec.1849	Lunatic Asylum	30	Potter's Field
Peter Johnson	27 Oct.1847	Pier 9, North River	40	Potter's Field

*Native of Swedish Pomerania.

**Born in Göteborg.

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Andrew Johnson 9 April 1848 43 Cherry St. 65 West Presbyterian

NOTES

- ¹ Undoubtedly he is identical to Jonas Setterberg, seaman, native of Sweden, 34 years old, resident of New York City, 5 ft., 4 in. tall, who signed aboard the ship *Ocean* in New York 11 Aug. 1808 bound for Havana and who on 7 April 1809 signed on board the ship *Isabella* destined for Tangiers. - *New York Port Crew Lists*, National Archives, Washington, DC.
- ² Henrik Adolph Gahn was b. in Ore Parish (Kopp.) at the end of March or 1 April 1774 (his mother d. on 1 April after having given birth to her son), s. Henrik Gahn and Catharina Magdalena Didron. He emigr. to the U.S. and settled in New York as a merchant. On 3 Feb. 1800 he received instructions from the Swedish Government to become its consul in New York. - Gabriel Anrep, *Svenska släktboken*, (Stockholm 1871-1875), I, p. 485; Joh. Ax. Almquist, *Kommerskollegium och rikens ständers manufakturkontor samt konsulsstaten* (Stockholm 1912-1915), p. 516.
- ³ Carl Gustaf Kosel, journeyman carpenter, received pp. in Göteborg 6 Sept. 1833 for travel to New York. - *Svenska flottans pensionskassas verifikationer*, 1834, Krigsarkivet, Stockholm.
- ⁴ Undoubtedly he is identical to Gabriel Edman, seaman, native of Sweden, 39 years old, resident of New York City, 5 ft., 7 1/2 in. tall, who signed on the ship *Golden Fleece* in New York 15 Dec. 1809, destined for Tönning. - *New York Port Crew Lists*, National Archives, Washington, DC.
- ⁵ Halvard Magnus Carlgren, b. in 1799, student at the University of Uppsala 1820; settled in New York, where he became a founding member of *Svenska Societeten* (Swedish Society) 21 Feb. 1836. - E.H.Lind & A.Larsson, *Värmlands nations historia jämte förteckning öfver dess medlemmar från 1595 till 1877* (Upsala 1877), p. 15; Vilhelm Berger, *De svenska sjukhjälpföreningarna i N.Y.* (New York 1934).
- ⁶ Carl Johan Tranchell was b. in Göteborg in 1802, s. Carl Henrik Tranchell, secretary to the Swedish East India Company, and Brita Maria Hasselroth. He settled in New York City and m. there. - (Lars Magnus Victor Ömberg), *Svenska ättartal*, 1894 (Stockholm 1894), p. 490.
- ⁷ Carl Edvard Löwenhielm was b. in Glumslöv Parish (Malm.) 23 May 1842, s. Johanna Ahlstedt, father unknown. At the baptism Erik Ludvig Löwenhielm, Johanna Ahlstedt's employer, was the chief witness and it may be presumed that he was the father of the child. - Glumslöv Parish Records.
- ⁸ John Albert Brodell, whose name originally was Johan Albert Brink, was b. in Klara Parish, Stockholm 8 Feb. 1806, s. Fredrik Brink, linen merchant (*lärfatskrämare*), and Ulrika Albertina Seipel. The parents were divorced and his mother remarried Eric Brodell, also a linen merchant. Johan Albert assumed his stepfather's name. He received pp. in Stockholm 17 Sept. 1836 for travel to America. He became a Swedish shipping agent in New York. On 17 April 1844 he visited Göteborg, armed with a pp. issued by the mayor of New York, Robert H. Morris. On 27 July of that year he received a pp. in Stockholm for the return journey to America. - Landsarkivet, Uppsala; *Överståthållareämbetets passjournal*, Stadsarkivet, Stockholm; *Göteborgs och Bohusläns länsstyrelses passjournal*, Landsarkivet, Göteborg; *Göteborgs poliskammars journal över inländska resande*, Stadsarkivet, Göteborg.
- ⁹ Torgny Zachrisson was probably b. in Hamburg, Germany, s. Zacharias Lorentz Zachrisson, Swedish consul general, and Marie Sophie Bahrman. When his father's estate was probated in Stockholm in 1834 Torgny res. in New York City. - Stadsarkivet, Stockholm; Almquist, *Kommerskollegium*, p. 643.

Genealogical Queries

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Svensson, Svensdotter

I am trying to trace a group of six siblings who emigrated to America:

1. Anna Wilhelmina Svensdotter, b. in Gränna 12 Oct. 1857; emigr. from Gränna 8 May 1875. Probably deceased by the time the mother's estate inventory (*bouppteckning*) was held 1898.
2. Carl August Svensson, b. in Gränna 15 Sept. 1861; emigr. to New York 3 June 1881.
3. Emma Svensdotter, b. in Gränna 7 Dec. 1863; emigr. 5 May 1880.
4. Gustaf Svensson, b. in Gränna 8 June 1866; emigr. 22 Oct. 1889.
5. Alfred Svensson, b. in Gränna 31 Oct. 1870; emigr. from Adelöv Parish (Jön.) 29 Dec. 1890.
6. Otto Svensson, b. in Gränna 12 Sept. 1873; emigr. 15 Sept. 1893.

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Peterson

The best information I have is that Abraham Peterson was b. in Stockholm 1798. He arr. in America in 1812 as a cabin boy and landed either in Boston or in Maine. He settled in Maine, where he m. Clarissa Davis. The family moved to Wisconsin in 1847 and Peterson d. in Shawano, WI in 1876. He is shown in the U.S. Federal Census of 1840 as res. in Franklin County, ME and in Wisconsin according to the censuses of 1850, 1860, and 1870. The couple had twelve children, of which ten survived childhood. I have not been able to secure a death certificate or obituary of Peterson. I have a death certificate for Clarissa, but

it gave no helpful information. Who can enlighten me about Abraham Peterson's life?

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Helgesson

My maternal grandfather, Johan Wilhelm Helgesson, was probably b. in Vålö, Varnum Parish (Värn.). He was a lighthouse keeper at Vålö on Lake Vänern and d. in Kristinehamn 14 July 1914 at the age of 73 years and ten months. He was m. twice (I don't have the name of the first wife) and the second time a woman named Carolina, who d. in Kristinehamn 12 Dec. 1934 at the age of 79 years. I am looking for Johan Wilhelm Helgesson's birthdate and parents, the name of his first wife and the surname of his second wife. Who can help?

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Eriksson

- I am searching for my grandfather's two sisters who emigr. to America:
1. Anna-Mathilda Eriksson, b. in Ödenäs Parish (Älvs.) 2 March 1878, who emigr. 1899.
 2. Hulda Charlotta Eriksson, b. in Ödenäs 26 Nov. 1888, who emigr. 1904.

Though they are no longer alive I am curious to know if they married and if they had children. I would be pleased to hear of any results.

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Lundstedt

I am searching for information concerning three siblings of my great great grandfather, who emigr. to America:

1. Anna Mathilda Lundstedt, b. in Ärla Parish (Söd.) 10 Sept. 1860; emigr. 1881.

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2. Adolf Fredrik Lundstedt, b. in Ärla 11 June 1867; emigr. 14 May 1887.
3. Emma Christina Lundstedt, b. in Ärla 30 March 1872; emigr. 28 Sept. 1894.
I hope someone can help me.

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Larsson, Larsdotter

My grandfather, Nils Gustaf Larsson, was b. in Rådetorp, Bjurtjärn Parish (Öre.) 25 Dec. 1858, the s. of Lars Andersson (b. 26 Sept. 1817) and Johanna Carlsdotter (b. 26 Nov. 1819). Nils Gustaf Larsson m. 15 March 1886 in Ljusnarsberg Parish (Öre.) Sophia Bernhardina Albertsdotter, b. in Jonshyttan, Hjulsjö Parish (Öre.) 22 April 1864, dau. Albert Ersson (b. 21 Jan. 1838) and Sophia Rosendahl (b. 21 May 1838). Nils Gustaf, his wife Sophia and s. Ernfrid left Sweden 2 April 1889 from Göteborg and settled in Stambaugh, MI. I believe he was the only sibling to have emigr. Other siblings who probably remained in Sweden were:

1. Carl, b. 5 July 1839.
2. Maria Lisa, b. 4 May 1842; d. 4 Aug. 1856.
3. Peter William, b. 4 April 1845.
4. Anna Sophia, b. 17 Sept. 1849.
5. Lars Fredrik, b. 6 April 1856.
6. Johan Fredrik, b. 3 April 1857.

I'll be visiting Sweden this summer and would love to meet some possible cousins. Can anyone help me?

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Andersson, Nilsson

There is reasonable assurance that I have living cousins in Sweden and I would be very pleased if someone could tell me if this is the case.

My grandfather, Carl Ludvig Andersson, was b. in Jonstorp Parish

(Malm.) 20 Oct. 1849 and d. in the U.S. 14 Feb. 1934. He was m. to Lovisa Nilsson, b. in Perstorp Parish (Krist.) 28 June 1858 and d. in the U.S. 8 June 1932. The couple m. in Sweden 1 June 1882, unknown where. They arr. in the U.S. 11 Aug. 1887 and settled in Nebraska. They had two sons, of which my father was one.

Carl Ludvig Andersson had two brothers, who remained in Sweden:

1. Martin Andersson, m. a woman named Emilie but it is not known if they had any children. One clue is that I have an envelope postmarked Göteborg, in the center of which is a handwritten address - Alströmergatan 5.
2. Theodor Andersson, b. in 1856. An address from a letter to his brother Carl Ludvig gives Nordenskjöldsgatan 3, 3rd floor, Göteborg as his residence, dated 11 Feb. 1925. His wife's name was Emma Johansson but there is no information as to children.

Lovisa Nilsson Andersson had at least three sisters:

1. Carolina Nilsson Pettersson, res. at Kaserngatan 28, Helsingborg in 1931.
2. Pälla Nilsson. She and her family res. at Eskilsminne (?).
3. Johanna Nilsson. She had a dau. named Hallberg who res. in Helsingborg.

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Jacobson

I am the great grandson of Nils (Nels) Albin Jacobson, who was b. in Sjögestad Parish (Ög.) 3 March 1875. By 1902 Nels had emigr. to the U.S. Can anyone give me some information on the Jacobson name?

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Berquist (Bergquist)

I am seeking information concerning the descendants of Axel Berquist (Bergquist), b. in Sweden 3 Oct. 1859. He was b. with the surname Kåberg but was the foster s. of Jchan Bergqvist (Berquist) who came from Värmland to the U.S. together with the Olof Olsson group in 1869, arriving on the second ship in New York 15 June. He settled in Bucklin, MO and became a charter member of the Swedish Evangelical Lutheran Church in Bucklin. Axel assumed his foster father's

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name and presumably moved to Chicago. I have references to his children: George, Josephine, Frank, Hulda, Albin, Lena and Carl.

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Illman, Bergstedt, Anderson

My grandfather, Carl August Illman, was b. in Västra Ny Parish (Ög.) 2 May 1846, the s. of Anders Petter Illman and Johanna Eriksson. He was one of six siblings - the others being Adolf, b. 3 Sept. 1838; Gustava Charlotta, b. 2 July 1841; Anders Gustaf, b. 9 Sept. 1849; August, b. 12 Oct. 1852 and Hilda Carolina, b. 18 Oct. 1859.

In 1868 Carl August went to Kolmetorp in Motala County Parish (Ög.). On 7 Dec. 1871 he moved to Motala Machine Shop (Motala Verkstad) in Motala, where he assumed the name of Bergstedt. On 5 Nov. 1871 he m. Augusta Charlotta Broberg, also b. in Västra Ny 22 Jan. 1841. They had two children - Edward Frithiof, b. in Motala 23 Nov. 1871 and August Emil, b. in Motala 5 April 1874.

About 1873-1874 Carl August came to America, where he changed his name to Charles E. Anderson. He was naturalized a U.S. citizen in Vermillion County, IL 5 Nov. 1892.

On 21 July 1888 he m. Mary McKinney, with whom he had six children - four daughters and two sons. It is uncertain whether his first wife, who stayed in Sweden, was living at this time.

I would like to know where I can find his declaration of intent of becoming a U.S. citizen, what Swedish port he sailed from and which ship he arrived on in coming to this country. He cannot be located in Swedish records.

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Alexandersson

I am collecting samples of the surname ALEXANDERSSON. I have downloaded the Mormon IGI and Social Security files. Also CD ROM telephone disks. I have *Vem är det? Svenska män och kvinnor*, *Svensk Uppslagsbok*,

Bonniers Lexikon, Svenskt Biografiskt Lexikon, etc. I need telephone directory listings for major cities, obituaries and whatever. A fair number of ALEXANDERSSONS reside in Göteborg and Bohus län.

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Sunesson

My great great grandfather and his family immigrated to Galesburg, IL in 1854, a fact verified by Landsarkivet in Lund. They were:

Bengt Sunesson, b. in Jämshög Parish (Blek.) 8 April 1815; his wife, Christina Nilsson, b. in Jämshög; and sons, all b. in Jämshög - Pehr, b. 19 Feb. 1845; Carl, b. 24 Feb. 1847; Ola, b. 8 March 1850 and Jöns, b. 3 Sept. 1852. I trust that this information will help in determining the port at which they arrived and the name of the ship.

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Hallgren

Anna Maria Hammarqvist was m. to an ironmonger in Norrköping by the name of Hallgren. The couple had four children, three daughters and one son. The latter is supposed to have gone to America, but unknown where and when. Can anyone help me locate him and possible descendants.

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Bryntesson

I am looking for information concerning Lennart Bryntesson, b. in Herrenäs, Ärtemark Parish (Älvs.) 12 Feb. 1905. His last address was 1443 West Winona Avenue, Chicago, IL 60640 and the last we heard from him was a Christ-

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mas card in 1992.

His older brother, Arthur Bryntesson, who is my father-in-law, keeps asking me if we have heard anything from his younger brother. Can anyone verify if Lennart Bryntesson is still alive or if he is deceased.

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Jonsson, Johnson

An uncle of mine (my father's brother), Harald Wilhelm Jonsson, b. in Stockholm in 1897, emigr. to the U.S. in 1913 and seemingly settled in New York City, where he was res. at 432 East 79th Street in 1921, when we last heard from him.

We also learned that he was living at one time at the residence of Amanda Petterson, 219 East 40th Street, New York City. Any information which can clear up the mystery of my uncle will be appreciated.

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Ericksson

My uncle, Emil Ericksson, born in 1880, res. at 421 Third Street, Great Falls, MT. He was m. and had two children - Art and Helen. He had a sister who d. in 1993. We are now anxious to contact her brother's family in the U.S. I hope someone can help us.

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Elfström, Andersdotter, Andersson

I am looking for information concerning a part of my family which emigr. to America. Christina Elfström, a widow, b. in Karlskoga 10 May 1842, had been m. to Anders Gustaf Svensson (1835-1877). The couple had six children,

five of which, together with their mother, emigr. to the U.S.

1. Anna Lovisa Andersdotter, b. in Varnum Parish (Värm.) 23 Aug. 1865, emigr. 16 Sept. 1887, departing from Göteborg aboard the *Orlando*, bound for Hull, England.
2. Karl Elfström or Andersson, b. 30 May 1869, left Varnum Parish for America 30 Oct. 1888.
3. Gustaf Andersson, b. in Varnum 1 Oct. 1870, left Varnum 28 Dec. 1889 en route to the U.S. via Göteborg and Quebec.
4. Clara Christina Andersdotter, b. in Varnum 11 May 1872, left Varnum 1 March 1890 and departed from Göteborg on the *Ariosto* bound for Hull.
5. Anders Wilhelm Andersson departed from Varnum together with his mother, Christina Elfström, and boarded the *Ariosto* 1 May 1891 in Göteborg for travel to Quebec via Hull, England.

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Wiklund

I am looking for information concerning my maternal uncle, Anders Bernhard Wiklund, b. in Vickersrudstorp, Tveta Parish (Värm.) 14 May 1900. He emigr. to the U.S. 28 June 1923. He paid a visit to his home country but returned to Chicago in 1930. He kept in contact with his mother until her death in 1939. Since then we have heard nothing except that in 1943 he sent home a package of coffee from Chicago, but without enclosing a message. Persons acquainted with the Tveta emigrants claim to have seen him in the 1950s and 1960s.

Though it is scarcely possible that he still is alive, his relatives in Sweden would like to know when and where he d. and if he left a family.

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Hägglund

I should very much like to know something of my maternal great grandmother, Anna Hägglund, b. in Nordingrå Parish (Vn.) who emigr. to Chicago 1904 together with her dau. Beda, m. to a Henning Andersson. Earlier her s. Carl Olof, b. 17 Dec. 1863, had emigr. to Chicago 17 March 1888 and he probably had

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helped his sister Anna, b. 8 Aug. 1872, to emigr. 23 Aug. 1889.

I have found my great grandmother, Anna Hägglund, and Beda as well as Henning Andersson in the U.S. Federal Census of 1910. Henning Andersson d. 30 Aug. 1937 and his wife Beda d. 9 June 1948, both bur. in Chicago's Mount Olive Cemetery. Now I would like to know Anna Hägglund's death date and where she is bur. What happened to her dau. Anna, who m. a chap named Lorens (Lawrence?), and what about Carl Olof, the son? What happened to him? All males in the Hägglund family were tailors. Henning Andersson was a baker.

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Anders(s)on

I would like to contact the descendants of my great grandfather and his wife. Anders Larsson was b. 10 Oct. 1826; d. by drowning in Vårdinge Parish (Stock.) 7 Nov. 1868. He was m. to Johanna Andersdotter, b. 28 Aug. 1829 and d. in Vårdinge in 1897. They had the following children:

1. Anders Peter Andersson (Andrew Peter Anderson), my grandfather, b. in Österåker Parish (Söd.) in 1853; d. in Chicago 1916.
2. Maria Carolina Andersdotter, b. 1 Aug. 1855; moved to Skönberga, Skirö Parish (Jön.) in 1877.
3. Lars Andersson d. in infancy.
4. Anna Sophia Andersdotter d. in infancy.
5. Carl Gustaf Andersson (twin), b. 11 July 1862; moved to Stockholm in 1882.
6. Johanna Sophia Andersdotter (twin), b. 11 July 1862; m. Carl Erik Henriksson 7 Nov. 1886. They had children, b. in the vicinity of Vårdinge Parish -- Beda Regina, b. in 1887; Johan Edvin, b. in 1889; Carl Ivan, b. in 1891 and Gustaf Arvid, b. in 1894. My grandfather emigr. from Göteborg in 1880. So far as I can determine the other siblings remained in Sweden

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Royal Descent

Is there official royal or other historical documentation that King Charles

XV of Sweden had a son in a morganatic marriage or relationship prior to ascending the Swedish throne in 1859? I am trying to identify whom one might contact to verify this family tradition. If it can be verified, then I am interested in the woman whom family history says was from the Sherwood Forest in England and gave birth to his child. It is my understanding that the son was reared at the Swedish Court by Axel Liljeström, secretary to Oscar I, and arrived in this country on or about 1868 after a disagreement with his royal father.

Any suggestion as to how to proceed, so that I can further verify this story would be appreciated.

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England/Englund

My grandfather, Fred England, always used this name. He claimed that he was b. on a Swedish sailing vessel 13 Nov. 1866, according to his petition for U.S. citizenship filed in New York City 2 Jan. 1895. He claimed that he arr. in New York 31 Dec. 1889.

He had a dau. Thelma by Paulina Kutswalsky or Kuwalski in New York, b. 1 May 1895. There are no records of a death or divorce for Paulina. He then m. my grandmother, Eliza Mathilda LeFurge, at which time he claimed that his father's name was Per England and his mother's was Sophie Lowdel (Löfdahl?). Fred England's trade was that of a tilesetter. My questions are - how did he enter this country? If he was b. on a Swedish sailing vessel, is this traceable? Are there records for his parents?

Any suggestions would be greatly appreciated.

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Lundblad, Kindman, Brisman, Johnson, Anderson

Hopefully someone can help. I have forty old photographs of a family that came from Sweden to the Chicago area in the 1800s. One of these people m. a Lundblad. One of those that arr. was named Kindman. These old photos will be given to a descendant, if one is ever found. One of the Kindmans went to Alaska,

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mining for gold and d. there. The emigrants seem to have come from Motala, since one of the pictures is from that city. Other surnames that figure are those of Brisman, Johnson in Chicago and Anderson of Melbank, SD.

These old photos were found in an antique store in Junction City, KY. Fortunately the elderly lady who bought them gave them to me before tragedy struck and her house was consumed by fire. May I hear from someone?

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Carlsson/Karlsson

Erik Waldemar Carlsson/Karlsson, b. in Sweden 21 Feb. 1895, arr. in New York 15 March 1923 aboard the *Kungsholm*. He was a sailor in Sweden and it is presumed that he also became a sailor on the Great Lakes. For many years I have been trying to find out what happened to him. It is possible that one of his fellow passengers aboard the *Kungsholm*, who left from Kville Parish (Göt.) 3 March 1923 at the same time as he, might give me a clue. They were:

Axel G. Gustafsson
Reinhold Herbert Eriksson
Anders E. Karlkvist

Any suggestions for assistance in this search will be appreciated.

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Warell

I am anxious to learn what happened to three of my relatives who emigr. to the U.S. in the middle of the last century. Sources in Sweden as well as the United States are quite meager for this early part of the emigration period. The persons in question were :

1. Carl Johan Warell, who emigr. in 1856.
2. Carl Theodor Warell, who emigr. in 1852.
3. Gustaf Otto Warell, who emigr. in 1851.

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Larsson

I am interested in finding out what happened to a relative of mine, Lars Ferdinand Larsson, b. 29 Oct. 1855, who emigr. to New York City 15 April 1880 from Malmö aboard the vessel *Alexandra* of the Inman Line. Though destined to New York I believe he did not remain there.

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Gagne/Gogne, Sellfors

Could someone help me locate Mrs. Eleanor M.J. Gagne (Gogne?), to whom I am distantly related. The most recent address I have is 487 Pleasant Street, Holyoke, MA 01040. This address is dated 1979 so it is possible that she has moved since then. She may no longer be alive in which case I would like to locate the children or other relatives.

I don't know her parents' names but her great grandfather was Erik August Sellfors who emigr. to America in the 1800s.

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Karlsson/Carlson, Löngren

I am a Swedish lawyer who has been appointed trustee by a Swedish District Court to handle the estate of Karl August Karlsson, who d. in Emmaboda (Kron.) in 1992. I am now attempting to locate children and grandchildren of the deceased person who are residing in the U.S.

1. Elias Alfred Carlsson (Löngren), b. probably between 1850 and 1875, who emigr. to the U.S. in the 1890s. An estate inventory document from 1937 indicates that Carlson/Löngren at that time was res. in Minneapolis.
2. The children of Johan Elof Carlsson, who was a brother of Elias Alfred Carlsson (Löngren), and who also emigr. in the 1890s:
 - a. Arthur Carlsson

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b. Anna Carlsson

c. Alice Carlsson

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Belin

I am trying to locate some relatives who lived at one time in Joliet, IL. The only clue I have is a letter my grandfather received in 1954, a wedding invitation from Severin Belin, 564 Clay Street, Joliet, IL. His wife's maiden name was Anna Gustafsson. They had two children - Mary Ann and Paul Belin. The invitation was for Mary Ann's wedding to James Farell Bell, who res. at 219 Richards Street, Joliet. I'd appreciate information as to their present whereabouts.

Yvonne Belin

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Johansson

I am looking for two "lost" brothers of my grandmother. I have no information as to when they left Sweden, but I believe it was between 1910 and 1930. They were:

1. Ernst Oskar Edvin Johansson, b. in Visby 3 March 1887.

2. Erik Emil Johansson, b. in Visby 17 Jan. 1892.

They were both sailors and may have continued this occupation in the U.S. or they may have gone into the construction business. They first res. at 1529 North Keeler Avenue, Chicago IL. A check of the Social Security records between 1962 and 1988 revealed nothing.

Anni Martinsson

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to seek vengeance
for blood shed in feud
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